

My Three Years In Moscow

Only Leaders In Public Eye In Politburo

By Lt.-Gen. Walter Bedell Smith

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Filipino President Leads In Voting Over Ex-Puppet

MANILA (UP)—President Elpidio Quirino forged slowly ahead of former Japanese puppet president Jose T. Laurel today in the race for the Philippines presidency.

With one-fourth of the vote counted, Quirino received 410,800 compared with 406,790 for Laurel and 125,407 for the third presidential candidate, Jose Avelino.

Two more deaths in election day clashes were reported, raising the death toll to 32. An unconfirmed report published by the Evening News said 78 Mohammedan members of Laurel's Nacionalista Party were massacred in the town of Lanao.

Fernando Lopez, the vice-presidential candidate of Quirino's Liberal Party, was leading his two opponents by a wide margin.

Weather Forecast

Variable cloudiness today and Thursday with light winds. Colder. Low tonight, 40; high Thursday, 49.

380,000 Coal Miners In U.S. To End Strike

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U.S. Steel Corp. Likely To Meet U.S.W. Strikers

PITTSBURGH (AP)—A United Steel Corporation spokesman said today a bargaining meeting probably would be arranged by the company with the striking United Steelworkers (C.I.O.) for tomorrow.

"I can't enlarge on that," the source said.

U.S. Steel spearheaded the industry's fight against the presidential board's recommendations for free insurance and pensions.

It put out a feeler last week for a meeting with the union after Bethlehem Steel had signed a peace pact. There has been no move by the union for a meeting.

R.C.A.F. Plane Seeks Missionary Lost With Two Eskimos

CAPE TATNAM, Man. (BUP)—The R.C.A.F. started an eight-hour flight over the frigid wastes of Hudson Bay today in another attempt to find a trace of an Arctic missionary and two Eskimos missing for 20 days.

A Dakota aircraft, with a seven-man rescue team aboard, was scheduled to search the Cape Tatnam area then fly over the Cape Henrietta Maria district, between James Bay and Hudson Bay.

The missionary, Father Henri Paul Dionne, I.A.M.E.R. Que., and an Eskimo father and son failed to return to an Arctic village, 200 miles north of Churchill, Man., after a sea-hunt in a power-driven canoe, Oct. 21.

The search area is so wide-spread that the air force said the plane would not return to Churchill for refueling, but would proceed to Kapuskasing, Ont.

Cave-In Victim's Body Recovered

SEATTLE (AP)—Rescue workers who had labored for almost 18 hours, early today recovered the body of one of two men trapped Tuesday by a tunnel cave-in at the University of Washington.

He had been pinned down by a large beam at the bottom of a 60-foot vertical shaft. The cave-in of sand, timbers and dirt came shortly before noon Tuesday as workmen were starting to dig a tunnel from the bottom of the shaft. The excavation was for a tunnel to carry heat and electrical conduits.

The coroner's office reported the body was that of James McNabb, 36. The other victim was Ed L. Olson.

Editor Dies

CLEVELAND (AP)—Russell Weisman, 59, chief editorial writer and associate editor of the Cleveland Plain Dealer, collapsed and died of a heart ailment Tuesday.

New York Lawyer Dies

NEW YORK (AP)—William M. Seabury, 71, lawyer and writer, died Tuesday night. He was a younger brother of Samuel Seabury, who headed an investigation of New York City politics in the early 1930's.

Rockingham Scratches

First Race—Manuela, Ramly, Troy Road, Its Heather.

Second Race—Cherry Flash, Sir Gorrill, Dr. Roche, Gay Gino.

Third Race—Abra.

Seventh Race—War Delegate.

Weather clear, track fast.



Describes Baby's Death

Stricken with grief, Henry Komorek tries to console his wife, Stella, in their Clayville, N.Y., home after she told of the accidental death of their six-week-old son, when she dropped the infant during feeding. Afraid to tell her husband of the accident, she hid the baby's body and at first reported he had been kidnapped.—(NEA Photo)

Little Damage Reported As First Winter Gale Strikes

Crisp, sunny weather greeted Victorians this morning as they looked around for damage from a southeast gale which lashed the southern tip of Vancouver Island Tuesday night—but there were relatively few signs of the wind which reached 62 miles per hour in gusts.

Most small craft on the southern coast, forewarned, had sought shelter before the first signs of the gale struck late Tuesday afternoon.

Spokesmen for the B.C. Electric and the B.C. Telephone companies said damage had been light, with only a few reports of lead-ins to houses being severed by falling boughs. There was no report of a major break in power or telephone service.

Low tide during the storm's peak saved the damaged portion of the Dallas Road sea wall near Ogden Point from further trouble. The waves were not high enough to batter the wall.

Silpways along the waterfront were also saved from extensive damage because of the low tide.

Maximum velocity of the wind was 62 miles per hour in gusts recorded at the Meteorological Observatory on Gonzales Hill at 9:30 Tuesday night.

From that time till about 11, there was a steady wind of 50 miles per hour, which then steadily decreased till it was down to 14 miles per hour by 1:30 this morning. Wind was from the southeast for practically the entire duration of the storm.

There was no rain with the big blow.

Firemen in Greater Victoria were kept busy from late Tuesday afternoon till the end of the storm responding to 15 calls, most of them chimney fires.

Police received reports of live wires down, some trees blown over and windows broken by wind-whipped debris.

What may prove to be a new problem in the future came up with a report that a television aerial atop a house had been blown over. This type of aerial would be more susceptible to the wind because of its many arms.

At the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, Cadboro Bay, a small boat went adrift and ended up on the beach, while a rowboat turned turtle and was found floating upside down this morning.

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Divers' Report To Decide Fate Of Ss. Chelohsin

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Fate of the 182-foot passenger vessel Chelohsin which ran aground with 101 persons aboard near Slushy Bay at Vancouver Sunday night, may be revealed today when deep-sea divers submit their report to company officials.

Divers finished checking the vessel as she lay pinned to a rock near the entrance to Vancouver Harbor about 9 p.m. Tuesday. They were due to submit their findings to ship owners, Union Steamship Company, in Vancouver today.

A spokesman said that from this report, officials will base their decision on what to do with the Chelohsin. The vessel ran aground in heavy fog after altering course five times and experienced trouble with her radar set.

Meanwhile, the 38-year-old steel-hulled coastal vessel withstood a severe buffeting from southeast winds reaching 30 miles an hour, throughout the night which battered her broadside. During the night it was feared the winds might imperil the stricken Chelohsin.

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CHICAGO (UP)—John L. Lewis and the policy committee of the United Mine Workers today ordered all striking coal miners to return to work immediately, but set a new contract deadline for Nov. 30.

A resolution passed unanimously by the 200-man policy committee said:

"Resolved that the members of the United Mine Workers of America in all bituminous coal districts east of the Mississippi River are instructed to resume immediately the mining and production of coal, to continue until midnight, Wednesday, Nov. 30, 1949, under the terms, wages and conditions of employment hitherto in effect under the wage agreement which expired July 1, 1949.

"Officers and representatives of the union are instructed to implement this policy. Co-operation of each member with this policy requested."

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Denies Rift Rumor

EDMONTON (CP)—Tommy Gorman, promoter of an ice show starring Barbara Ann Scott, denied today there is any rift between him and the skater's mother, Mrs. Clyde Scott.

Changes Voted

OTTAWA (CP)—The Senate today approved a government resolution aimed at giving Canada the right to amend her own constitution in federal matters.



He Dives For Sunken 'Treasure'

At left, diver Bob Forrest is lowered by his helpers into the Crown Zellerbach log pond at Port Angeles. He's going down to search for "treasure" in the form of sunken logs. Loggers up in the woods float great rafts of logs down the river to the company's sawmills. About 5 per cent of the logs become waterlogged and sink. And at present lumber prices, that would be a heavy loss. Hence the salvage operation. Picture at right shows Forrest supervising recovery of one of the logs he found below the surface and hooked to the hoist. Salvage of this sort is not a practice at Victoria or other B.C. ports.

LATEST

May Ask Boost

OTTAWA (BUP)—The Civil Service Federation of Canada warned today that it might ask for a salary increase for federal civil servants as a result of the rent boost authorized by the government.

Convict Escapes

VANCOUVER (CP)—A 22-year-old convict escaped today from the Oakalla prison farm in suburban Burnaby and guards are combing heavy bushland surrounding the institution. He was identified as Leo St. Louis, sentenced recently to six months for possessing narcotics.

Nov. 11 Holiday For Most In B.C.

The Provincial Secretary's Department today made it clear that Remembrance Day was a statutory holiday in British Columbia and as a result the vast majority of British Columbians won't go to work next Friday.

Factories and shops, banks and other financial houses, along with almost all the other employers of labor will shut down for the day. Only British Columbians having to work next Friday will be those maintaining essential services.

The provincial government's 8,000 employees, like other workers, will have the day off.

No Unity Now In Kremlin; Many Disappear, Says Tito

BELGRADE (UP)—Premier Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia believes a "split" in the Kremlin is why some top-ranking Soviet leaders "disappear."

Tito told Edward Clausen of Politiken, Copenhagen independent daily, in an interview that it is obvious there is no unity in the Soviet Politburo, including the question of the harsh Russian policy toward Yugoslavia.

Strong Aldermanic Slate Proposed To Support Kent

Growing public interest in the Dec. 8 civic elections was apparent today following the Victoria Times announcement Tuesday that Ald. Aubrey Kent would stand for mayor, giving this city its first mayoralty contest since Mayor Percy George's defeat of the late Andrew McGavin in December, 1944.

It is evident now that Ald. Kent will have a strong slate of aldermanic candidates supporting him, including Ald. Waldo Skillings, whose two-year council term expires this year.

Will Be Asked To Run

Among those to whom the league is offering its support in the election to City Council are Ald. Kent for mayor, and Ald. Skillings, Mr. Henley, J. M. Wood, W. Pinfold, Percy Scourrah and Ed. Mallek for council.

The league is approaching these men to ask them to run for office, offering the full support of the league if they decide to do so.

This proposed aldermanic slate guarantees a contest in at least some of the six vacancies to be filled on the council.

One of the vacancies to be filled is that of Ald. Skillings whose two-year council term expires this year. Two other vacancies will be created by the

expiration of terms of office of Ald. Mrs. Margaret Christie and Ald. C. F. Banfield. Both have announced their intention to seek re-election.

Ald. Kent, of course, will not seek re-election as alderman. Ald. Ed. Williams has stated repeatedly that he will not stand for re-election.

There will be a one-year term to fill, occasioned by the death of Ald. John Baxter. His widow, Mrs. Hilda Baxter, has announced she will run to fill her husband's uncompleted term of office.

The Tuesday night meeting of the league also voted to support J. E. Neely for re-election to the police commission.

Mr. Neely is completing a two-year term as police commissioner this year, and league officials state they feel Mr. Neely has done a good job during his term of office.

No other candidate for police commission has yet appeared.

Also chosen Tuesday night were the names of four Victorians who will be approached with respect to election to the Greater Victoria School Board which this year will have two two-year vacancies and one one-year vacancy.

Two of the men selected at the league meeting are school trustees whose terms expire this year. They are R. H. Green, chairman of the school board, and A. W. Trevett. The two other men proposed by the meeting for support are R. F. Williams and A. W. J. Smith.

(See "Better Management" page 17.)

\$150 Still Limit

OTTAWA (BUP)—Canadians will still be allowed to take only \$150 in U.S. currency out of Canada for pleasure travel next year, Finance Minister Douglas Abbott announced today. The ration for children 11 years old and under will remain at \$100.

Foul Play Report As Body Found In False Creek

VANCOUVER (CP)—Foul play is suspected in the death of Miss Fernie B. Fisher, attractive 45-year-old store clerk, whose body was found today in False Creek here.

Partially-clad, the body was found floating in the creek by a bridge tender. A wound in the forehead was still bleeding.

Police reported Miss Fisher left home early Tuesday night, planning to attend a theatre. She was completely clad.

When the body was discovered the only clothing was a coat and dress. Her shoes, stockings and underwear had been removed.

The body hair had been shaved from the woman, but the hair on her head had not been touched.

Investigators recalled the case of Joyce Monasterski, 25-year-old Saskatchewan-born cashier. Her nude body was found on a beach Oct. 8. She disappeared Sept. 17. It is listed as a case of murder.

NO MONEY FOUND

Robbery could be a motive in the death of Miss Fisher. Police said there was no money in the woman's purse, a shoulder-strap type. There was an identification card, bearing the name of her sister, Miss Violet Fisher, with whom she lived.

The body was found near a railway trestle, but search of it failed to reveal any trace of the missing clothing.

An autopsy has been ordered to determine cause of death. The forehead wound could have been caused by a trestle piling.

Senate Committee Probing Canada's Defence Spending

OTTAWA (CP)—The Senate's finance committee decided today to find out why Canada is spending \$400,000,000 on defence this fiscal year.

After that, its members agreed, they will ask the finance department to tell them how Canada's gross national debt got where it is—around \$17,000,000,000.

The committee came up with those decisions in discussing House Leader Senator Wishart Robertson's proposal that the upper chamber discuss estimates of federal expenditures at the same time they are before the Commons.

Plane Hunts Two

CAPE TATNAM, Man. (BUP)—The R.C.A.F. started an eight-hour flight over the frigid wastes of Hudson Bay today in another attempt to find a trace of an Arctic missionary and two Eskimos missing for 20 days.

The missionary, Father Henri Paul Dionne, L'Anenir, Que., and an Eskimo father and son failed to return to an Arctic village.

Says No Law To Stop Cabarets Sunday

Cabarets are exempt from Victoria's Amusement By-law, James J. Proudfoot submitted in city police court today. When the case of the Sirocco, charged with conducting a dance after Saturday midnight, was called Mr. Proudfoot argued the city had taken power to regulate dance hall but not cabarets. City Prosecutor C. L. Harrison will answer his argument next week.

(See "Argues Cabarets" page 17.)

380,000 To Resume Work; New Deadline

WASHINGTON (AP)—John L. Lewis suddenly called off the coal strike in the U.S. today, restoring a fair measure of labor peace.

He left the threat of a possible new walkout at the end of this month. But his back-to-work order, coming atop the still-continuing piecemeal ending of the steel strike, stirred hopes of government officials that the country is settling back into a period of high-level industrial activity.

Cyrus Ching, federal mediation director, said he would go ahead anyway with his plans for a joint meeting tomorrow with Lewis and soft coal operators. It was called to explore possibilities of ending the strike. Now it will be aimed at finding an agreement on a new working contract.

Told of the Lewis order, Presidential Press Secretary Charles G. Ross said: "That's good." That was the only immediate White House comment.

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Calgary Detective In Detroit Seeks Return Of Couple

DETROIT (CP)—Detective Sergeant Bruce McCannell of Calgary said today investigation now is "well under way" with United States authorities toward returning Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace to Ottawa to face trial for a beer-bottle slaying in a Calgary auto camp cabin last Aug. 11.

He said he had with him sworn warrants charging the couple with murder in the death of 23-year-old Yvonne Levesque. He declined to report whether they have actually been served.

Det-Sgt. McCannell arrived here Tuesday night. Investigation of the couple began Nov. 3 when Wallace, 42, who says he was born in Oxbow, Sask., and is an engineer, was arrested here at the home of his mother-in-law.

In a statement to Detroit police Wallace confessed slaying the pretty waitress with a full beer bottle while his wife, Mrs. Wilhelma Wallace, 32, held her.

Mrs. Wallace, the American-born daughter of the Marchioness Margaret d'Autier, denied her husband's statement and any implication in the slaying.

Wallace, a Canadian citizen, has been held by Detroit police on a U.S. immigration warrant charging him with illegal entry.

Mrs. Wallace is a United States citizen. Det-Sgt. McCannell also reported no further action today on what will be done with a warrant for murder filed soon after the crime charging Donald W. Henderson of Lethbridge, Alta., with murder. He has been sought throughout Canada.

Dividends Total \$5

NEW YORK (AP)—International Paper Company today declared a year-end dividend of \$1 and a regular quarterly of \$1 on common, both payable Dec. 15 to holders of record Nov. 21. This brings total payments for the year to \$5, the same as in 1948.

May Admit Germany To Europe Council

PARIS (Reuter)—The Council of Europe's Little Assembly—a standing committee set up by the Assembly of the Council in Strasbourg—voted unanimously today for the admission of Germany to the Assembly. The committee of Ministers—governmental element of the Council of Europe—had asked the advice of the Little Assembly before making its final decision.

Filipino President Leads In Voting Over Ex-Puppet

MANILA (UP)—President Elpidio Quirino forged slowly ahead of former Japanese puppet president Jose T. Laurel today in the race for the Philippines presidency.

With one-fourth of the vote counted, Quirino received 410,800 compared with 406,790 for Laurel and 125,407 for the third presidential candidate, Jose Avelino.

Two more deaths in election day clashes were reported, raising the death toll to 32. An unconfirmed report published by the Evening News said 78 Mohammedan members of Laurel's Nacionalista Party were massacred in the town of Lanao.

Fernando Lopez, the vice-

presidential candidate of Quirino's Liberal Party, was leading his two opponents by a wide margin and seemed assured of ending in first place.

Quirino's Liberal Party also placed four senatorial candidates among the top eight to be elected along with four from Laurel's Nacionalista Party.

Laurel, accused of being pro-Japanese and anti-American, ran ahead of Quirino in early returns on the basis of a heavy majority in Manila. The capital traditionally is anti-administration at election time.

Although Laurel won Manila, he apparently began to lose the election when returns started to pour in from Quirino strongholds in the provinces.

One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

STRANGE SUPERSTITIONS

WHILE LUNCHING with a friend the other day she happened to spill some salt on the tablecloth—and immediately took a pinch of the spilled stuff and threw it over her left shoulder.

Whereupon I laughed and asked her if she had some magic incantation to use with it. She reproved my cynicism with the rejoinder that the spilling of salt would bring bad luck in its wake unless she acted as she had—and proceeded to regale me with tales of the ill-fortune that had followed in the train of those who neglected to do so.

The odd part of it is that she was quite serious about it. Nor is she the first I have known to accept these ancient superstitions with blind faith.

IRISH LEGACY

I WELL REMEMBER one of my sisters coming back from a long stay with relatives in rural Ireland and bringing with her an amazing supply of "You mustn't do this" and "You mustn't do that" garnered from the picturesque peasants.

For instance, if a cinder flew out of the fire and, upon examination, happened to bear the remotest resemblance to a coffin—well! Everyone within reach of it was doomed.

And if anyone happened to put a shoe—even in a parcel or a shoebox as brought home from the shoe-shop—on the table, the consequences were just as dire.

These and many others of Irish origin were extracurricular, so to speak, of the more familiar ones forbidding you to walk under a ladder or do the dozens of other things that are supposed to bring bad luck in their wake.

ACTORS' BUGABOOS

PERHAPS because they live so much of their lives in a world of make-believe, actors are extraordinarily superstitious, with the belief that all kinds of odd notions have grown up around the theatre.

I recollect a member of the Gilbert and Sullivan company that came here a decade ago telling me of some of the stage bugaboos which persist, even among seasoned stars. The matter came up, as I recall it, in connection with peacock feathers.

Although the origin of the superstition is veiled in mystery, peacock feathers are supposed to bring bad luck when used in costumes or on a set. That's why you never see them on the stage. Some people also carry this allergy into private life.

For some equally mysterious reason, an actress—or actor—must never throw a hat on a bed or a cot in dressing room or at home. And my sister's repugnance to shoes on a table reappears in the theatrical world which places that shoes must never, under any circumstances, be ruled above the height of the head, even when feet aren't in them!

TERRORS IN STORE

THE FAMILIAR film tune, "Whistle While You Work," can't be very popular among stage folk, for whistling in dressing rooms is strictly taboo. Anyone daring to do so might just as well call up the undertaker right away!

But it is when it comes to that innocent article of common use, the comb, that things begin to happen—if you are so unfortunate as to drop it on the floor. In that case, the only way to avoid all the terrors that fate holds in store for you is to get someone else to pick it up for you.

The picker-up must first step on it, and before taking it the owner must spit over the left shoulder.

As to the why and wherefore of all these superstitions—all I can say is that the psychologists may have a \$64-word for it, but the only one I can think of is just "crazy."

Walls Says He Was Given Power To Invest Money

J. Percival Walls, 60-year-old former lawyer, facing trial on charges of breach of trust and theft, testified in Assize Court today that he was given full authority by Mrs. Isabella E. Corbie, widow, to invest her money in whatever way he thought fit.

Walls is accused of converting to his own use two insurance cheques totalling \$3,131 which Mrs. Corbie gave to him for safe keeping in 1946 pending the settlement of her husband's estate.

The accused told the court that when Mrs. Corbie gave the money to him she suggested that he invest the money for her.

He said he invested the money with Clyde Gillies, whom he had known for more than 20 years. Gillies never returned the money, he added.

"I fully trusted Mr. Gillies," he said. "I gave the money to him on the understanding that it would be returned to me in six months. Gillies usually paid 10 per cent interest."

He said he invested the money thinking that his client would be able to make a little extra money pending the settlement of the estate. He added there were many technicalities in connection with the estate and he thought his client would benefit while he was attending to these matters.

He denied having received from Gillies any "cut" from Mrs. Corbie's money.

Walls also denied he received a letter from H. A. Beckwith, who later became Mrs. Corbie's solicitor, with regard to returning the money to the widow immediately.

QUESTION BARRAGE

Under cross-examination Walls faced a barrage of questions from George F. Gregory, crown counsel, as to his associations with Gillies and with regard to the widow's money.

In answer to one question with regard to Gillies, the accused said his friend had been "helping people along for 20 years" and

that he had no reason to distrust him.

"You knew that Clyde Gillies was sentenced here in 1931 for distributing drugs, didn't you?" asked the prosecutor.

The accused admitted he did, but he believed Gillies had changed since that time.

Mr. Gregory asked him why he took such a long time to settle the estate of Mrs. Corbie.

TECHNICALITIES

Walls replied that there were many technicalities about the will.

The prosecutor took the will in his hand and asked the witness if it was not true that the whole estate could have been settled in a month. "I'm a practicing lawyer and I have to do with estates," commented the counsel.

"I believe the will could have been probated in a month," replied Walls, "but there were certain technicalities."

"What technicalities?" asked the prosecutor. "Do you mean a few war-saving certificates. Do you mean to tell me that these prevented you from clearing up the estate?"

Walls said that he had other matters to attend to.

Mr. Gregory asked Walls why he invested the money when he knew that Mrs. Corbie was in need of cash.

Walls claimed Mrs. Corbie did not need money at that time.

"But she was asking you for money," pointed the prosecutor.

At one point the witness admitted that he was fully responsible for what happened to Mrs. Corbie's money.

"Why don't you admit that Mrs. Corbie gave you that money on the understanding that you were putting it in the bank," said Mr. Gregory. "Why don't you admit that you went to her house to get the cheques to give to Gillies?"

The witness admitted he intended to give the money to Gillies.

The case is continuing.



Commands In Poland

Soviet Marshal Konstantin Rokossovsky, above, hero of Stalingrad, has been placed at the disposal of the Polish government "for the purpose of serving in the Polish army." This, a Moscow broadcast added, "is on account of the friendly relations between the U.S.S.R. and Poland. He will be Polish Minister of Defence."

(NEA Photo)

100 Men On Strike At Regina Brewery

REGINA (BUP) — Approximately 100 men are on strike at Sick's Regina brewery following a wage dispute.

The announcement was made by E. C. Sims, representative of the International Union of United Brewery, Soft Drink and Distillery Workers of America (I.U.O.-C.G.L.).

Sims said the men went on strike just after midnight and formed picket lines a few hours later. He said the strike was an effort to get wage rates in Regina "more commensurate" with rates in Sick's plants in Alberta and British Columbia.

Pleads Not Guilty

William Hoggan Sneddon pleaded not guilty in city police court today to two charges of theft of articles of under the value of \$25 in both cases. He was remanded to Monday for trial. Carew Martia appeared as defence counsel. Magistrate H. C. Hall set \$250 bail in each case.

Weather

Official forecast issued by the Dominion Public Weather Office in Vancouver at 9 a.m., P.S.T., Nov. 9.

Synopsis—A deep low pressure centre remains stationary this morning 250 miles southwest of the Queen Charlotte. A storm front associated with this centre passed over the coast last night and was crossing central B.C. this morning and weakening rapidly. Twenty-four-hour rainfall amounts on the west coast of Vancouver Island were generally over an inch. Cloudy weather with scattered showers will be general today. Parts of the interior will be sunny on Thursday but little change is expected on the coast.

Regional forecasts valid until midnight Thursday: Vancouver City, Lower Fraser Valley Region—Cloudy today and Thursday with showers along the mountains. Colder. Light winds. Low tonight and high tomorrow at Vancouver Airport 38 and 48, Abbotsford 34 and 50.

Georgia Strait Region—Cloudy with a few sunny intervals today and Thursday. Colder. Light winds. Low tonight and high tomorrow at Nanaimo 38 and 48.

Victoria City—Variable cloudiness today and Thursday. Colder. Light winds. Low tonight and high tomorrow at Victoria 40 and 49.

West Coast Vancouver Island—Cloudy with showers today and Thursday. Little change in temperature. Winds southeast 15. Low tonight and high tomorrow at Estevan Point 42 and 47.

St. Johns	33	39	04
Halifax	37	43	06
Montreal	29	35	00
Toronto	29	35	00
Port Arthur	29	35	00
Kenora	29	35	00
Winnipeg	34	40	05
Brandon	32	38	03
The Pas	21	27	02
Regina	30	36	01
Saskatoon	35	41	06
Prince Albert	30	36	01
N. Battleford	35	41	06
Swift Current	24	30	01
Medicine Hat	33	39	04
Lethbridge	34	40	05
Calgary	34	40	05
Edmonton	29	35	00
Cambridge	34	40	05
Penticton	46	52	01
Vancouver	45	51	00
Victoria	46	52	01
Kimberley	31	37	02
Creston Valley	38	44	09
Prince Rupert	42	48	13
Prince George	29	35	00
Seattle	43	49	04
Portland	46	52	07
Chicago	41	47	02
San Francisco	57	63	01
Los Angeles	54	60	05
New York	49	55	01
San Jose	53	59	05
Whitehorse	25	31	00
New Westminster	44	50	05

Divers' Report To Decide Fate Of Ss. Chelohsin

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Fate of the 182-foot passenger vessel Chelohsin which ran aground with 161 persons aboard near Siwash Rock at Vancouver Sunday night, may be revealed today when deep-sea divers submit their report to company officials.

Divers finished checking the vessel as she lay pinned to a rock near the entrance to Vancouver Harbor about 9 p.m. Tuesday. They were due to submit their findings to ship owners, Union Steamship Company, in Vancouver today.

A spokesman said that from this report, officials will base their decision on what to do with the Chelohsin.

Spiritualists Ask Increase Be Made In Old Age Pension

National Spiritualist Association of Canada at its 21st annual convention here voted on record as favoring a higher old age pension for Canada's senior citizens.

The association also considered the minimum age for recipients should be lowered to 65 for men and 60 for women. At present, no claims can be made for the pension until one reaches the age of 70.

The convention also voted for abolition of the means test. Delegates came from all across Canada to the meeting here. Officers of the association were re-elected to serve another year.

Rev. C. Nixon, Toronto, honorary president; Rev. Ada Garraud, Vancouver, president; Rev. Harry Brunner, Toronto; Rev. Harold Moore, Winnipeg; and Rev. Elsie Eady, Vancouver, vice-presidents.

Rev. Edith A. Mayell, Victoria, general secretary; Mrs. Grace Smith, Paris, Ont., treasurer; Rev. Walter Holder, Victoria; Rev. W. H. Partridge, Toronto; Rev. Agnes Welsh, Winnipeg, directors.

The next annual convention, it was decided, will be held next October in Toronto.

Extension Group Hears Talk On Art By U.B.C. Professor

Artists must not only be able to put what they feel on canvas—they must be able to do that in such a manner as to convey those feelings to others.

This was a major point brought out by Prof. Geoffrey Andrew, executive assistant to the president of the University of British Columbia, in an address to the University Extension Association at the Victoria College-Normal School auditorium Tuesday night.

Prof. Andrew noted the difference between artists who work in a world of feeling and intellectuals, who work in a field of thought.

SHOULD OVERLAP

The professor said in recent years there has been some overlapping in the two fields, and thought such overlapping was proper, since an artist owes the communication of his thoughts to his public through his work.

The public, in turn, must evaluate works in terms of experience common to themselves and the artists.

During part of his talk, entitled "Modern Thought in Modern Art," Prof. Andrew criticized groups in arts and social sciences who tend to enclose themselves in "esoteric cliques" and develop a jargon which is difficult to follow.

The speaker outlined how events in history affected the work of artists. As an example, he told of reactions to conditions after the First World War which were reflected in art.

Editor Dies

CLEVELAND (AP) — Russell Weisman, 59, chief editorial writer and associate editor of the Cleveland Plain Dealer, collapsed and died of a heart ailment Tuesday.

HEARING-AIDS — BATTERIES ACCESSORIES AND SERVICE

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Assembly President Wants Short-Term Atom Armistice

LAKE SUCCESS (CP)—United Nations Assembly president, Carlos P. Romulo, announced today he had appealed to the Big Five and Canada to consider a short-term atomic armistice, a ban on use of atomic bombs, and a new start on the problem of atomic control.

Romulo so far has not received official answers from the six governments, but western delegates were reported to view the proposals as old stuff and vague.

Sources close to the Philippine delegate said, however, that he

was insisting his proposals have a thorough study in the General Assembly.

His plan was published as the United States prepared to tangle with the Soviet Union on the atomic issue in the Assembly's special political committee.

"Mankind is not prepared to accept a deadlock on a matter so serious to the future of the whole world," Romulo said in his appeal to Canada, the United States, Russia, Britain, France and China.

"Every effort must be made to explore even the remotest of an effective agreement."

Sales Of Gasoline In September Slip From August Peak

Gasoline sales in British Columbia during September totaled 13,897,437 gallons, a decrease of 10 per cent from the peak month of August this year, but a gain of 8 per cent over the same month of 1948.

The Coal and Petroleum Control Board, reporting this today, said that in Victoria September sales to resellers had totaled 842,062 gallons, up 6.24 per cent over previous September. In Vancouver the corresponding increase was 10.96 per cent while for the remainder of the province the increase was 14.03 per cent.

For the whole province sales to resellers showed an 11.87 per cent increase during September of this year over September of last year while commercial sales showed a slight gain. These two categories, however, showed seasonal decreases of 7 and 5 per cent respectively from the previous month.

Marine sales in September this

year were down by a slight amount from the previous September, and aviation sales showed an 8 per cent decrease.

Two Drivers In Car Accident Before Court

Both charged with careless driving from a collision they were involved in on Oct. 29 at Quadra and Yates Streets, Albert A. Coles, 2843 Austin Avenue, and John Kenderine, Y.M.C.A., appeared in city police court today. Kenderine, a motorcyclist, pleaded guilty and was fined \$25 by Magistrate H. C. Hall. The magistrate remanded Coles to Tuesday for judgment after hearing evidence and argument of defence counsel David Sloan.

Victoria Public Library will be closed all day Friday, Armistice Day.

The emphasis was on poetry when the Victoria Burns Society met in Prince Robert House Tuesday night. Poems by Hugh McDermott, Violet Jacobs, modern Scottish poet, and Christopher Murray Grieve, a border poet, were read to those in attendance. A poem on Halloween by the immortal Burns was also recited.

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Cave-In Victim's Body Recovered

SEATTLE (AP)—Rescue workers who had labored for almost 18 hours, early today recovered the body of one of two men trapped Tuesday by a tunnel cave-in at the University of Washington.

He had been pinned down by a large beam at the bottom of a 60-foot vertical shaft. The cave-in of sand, timbers and dirt came shortly before noon Tuesday as workmen were starting to dig a tunnel from the bottom of the shaft. The excavation was for a tunnel to carry heat and electrical conduits.

The coroner's office reported the body was that of James McNabb, 36. The other victim was Ed L. Olson.

New York Lawyer Dies

NEW YORK (AP) — William M. Seabury, 71, lawyer and writer, died Tuesday night. He was a younger brother of Samuel Seabury, who headed an investigation of New York City politics in the early 1930's.

Little Damage Reported As First Winter Gale Strikes

Crisp, sunny weather greeted Victorians this morning as they looked around for damage from a southeast gale which lashed the southern tip of Vancouver Island Tuesday night—but there were relatively few signs of the wind which reached 62 miles per hour in gusts.

Most small craft on the southern coast, forewarned, had sought shelter before the first signs of the gale struck late Tuesday afternoon.

Spokesmen for the B.C. Electric and the B.C. Telephone companies said damage had been light, with only a few reports of lead-ins to houses being severed by falling boughs. There was no report of a major break in power or telephone service.

Low tide during the storm's peak saved the damaged portion of the Dallas Road sea wall near Ogden Point from further trouble. The waves were not high enough to batter the wall.

Slipways along the waterfront were also saved from extensive damage because of the low tide. Maximum velocity of the wind was 62 miles per hour in gusts recorded at the Meteorological Observatory on Gonzales Hill at 9.30 Tuesday night.

From that time till about 11, there was a steady wind of 50 miles per hour, which then steadily decreased till it was down to 14 miles per hour by 1.30 this morning. Wind was from the southeast for practically the entire duration of the storm.

There was no rain with the big blow. Firemen in Greater Victoria were kept busy from late Tuesday afternoon till the end of the storm responding to 15 calls, most of them chimney fires.

Police received reports of live

wires down, some trees blown over and windows broken by wind-whipped debris.

What may prove to be a new problem in the future came up with a report that a television aerial atop a house had been blown over. This type of aerial would be more susceptible to the wind because of its many arms.

At the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, Cadboro Bay, a small boat went adrift and ended up on the beach, while a rowboat turned turtle and was found floating upside down this morning.

Hope-Princeton Road To Get Six Gasoline Stations By Summer

Dr. W. A. Carrothers, chairman of the Coal and Petroleum Control Board, said today that if holders of licenses for gasoline stations on the Hope-Princeton Highway did not start construction of the stations shortly the board would cancel their licenses.

At the present time no gasoline is available on the 83-mile long highway between Hope and Princeton. The highway was formally opened last Wednesday by Premier Byron Johnson.

Dr. Carrothers said that five licenses had been granted for establishment of gasoline stations on the highway and he had tried as long ago as last May to have the licensees proceed with the construction of the stations. An application for a sixth license is pending, but Dr. Carrothers indicated that it will be granted shortly.

The sites for the stations were chosen by the public works department. They are at Hope, at the intersection of the Trans Canada and Hope-Princeton highways, about half a mile out of Hope, at Mile 7 from Hope, near the eastern boundary of Manning Park and just west of Princeton.

The pending license is for a station between Mile 7 and the Allison Pass summit which is at Mile 35.

Dr. Carrothers indicated that only six licenses for service stations on the new highway would be issued at the present time but if the traffic on the road warranted more service stations further applications would be considered.

The highway crosses from one of the Coal and Petroleum Control Board's gasoline price zones to another, and Dr. Carrothers said it may be necessary to adjust the zones because of this.

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Widow Says Lawyer Failed To Return Money In Trust

Mrs. Isabella E. Corbie told an Assize Court jury Thursday afternoon that she had failed to recover part of her husband's small endowment which she left for safe keeping in the hands of her former solicitor, J. Percival Walls of Victoria, who is standing trial on a charge of breach of trust and two counts of theft.

Mrs. Corbie is the chief Crown witness at the trial of the former lawyer which opened before Mr. Justice James B. Coady Tuesday afternoon. Walls is accused of converting to his own use two insurance policy cheques valued at \$3,130 which belonged to Mrs. Corbie.

Mrs. Corbie testified that following her husband's death in June, 1946, she left the affairs of his estate in the hands of Walls, then an active solicitor. She also gave him a London Life Insurance Co. policy valued at \$631 and an Empire Home Benefit Association policy valued at \$2,500.

"I trusted him," she said. "I left all the business of the estate to be settled by him."

She testified that when she received the cheques for the insurance policies, she endorsed them and gave them to Walls for safe keeping.

On one occasion she telephoned him and asked him what he was going to do with the money from one of the cheques, she said.

"Mr. Walls told me not to worry," she stated. "He said he was putting it in the bank and I would get interest."

When the witness was asked by George F. Gregory to identify Walls, Mrs. Corbie, who is partially blind, had to be escorted to the prisoner's box in order to see the accused.

SOUGHT EXPLANATION

Mrs. Corbie said she tried continually to find out from Walls when the affairs of the estate would be wound up.

"He kept putting me off and making excuses," she said.

She said in May, 1947, she went down to Walls' office with a Mr. Burns, a co-executor, to get receipts for the insurance policy cheques she had given to the accused. She said Walls gave them the receipts.

"As soon as we got the receipts, Mr. Burns told him we were not going to leave the office until we got the money," she testified. Mr. Walls said you are not giving me enough time."

Mrs. Corbie said Mr. Burns told Walls that it didn't take time to get money from the bank.

She said Walls then said something about investing the money. "Mr. Burns said you have no authority to invest that money," stated the witness. "Mr. Walls put his hands on his head and walked to and fro. We waited three hours but we didn't get the money."

CONSULTED ANOTHER LAWYER

The witness said as she was getting nowhere with Walls she consulted Harold Beckwith, solicitor.

J. Proudfoot, counsel for the accused, asked the witness if she had ever given Walls authority to invest the insurance money for her.

Mrs. Corbie said there had never been any talk of investment.

Mr. Beckwith, who was the next witness called to the stand, said when he interviewed Walls with regard to the insurance money Walls talked of having invested the money.

"When I asked him where he had invested the money," he refused to answer or tried to evade the question," said the lawyer.

Mr. Beckwith said after frequent telephone calls with Walls he managed to get an appointment with him on May 27, 1948.

"Walls on this occasion went through his standard performance," said Mr. Beckwith. "He refused to look me in the eyes. He put his hands over his head and moaned."

"I said you stop trying to fool me. You know you haven't invested that money."

Mr. Beckwith said Walls finally said he had invested the money.

Mr. Beckwith said some weeks later following the interview Walls sent him a cheque for \$135. The case is continuing.

Hunter Wounded

NANAIMO—In Nanaimo General Hospital here today is John Belloni, Gabriola Island, being treated for gunshot wounds to a leg and the chest suffered when his gun accidentally discharged yesterday, Provincial Police report.

Police said Belloni's gun discharged when he laid down the gun while waiting for a hunting companion, Clarence Cameron, 155 Skinner Street, Nanaimo, at a farm gate on Gabriola.

\$1,183 For Poppies

NANAIMO—A total of \$1,183 was collected in the sale of poppies, it was announced here. The sum was greater than that collected in any other year.

Thanks to the public, the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion, Nanaimo branch, Legion members and sea cadets who assisted in the sale were expressed by J. E. Curran, president of the Legion branch.

Village Nominations

PARKSVILLE—Nominations for village commissioners will be held at the Parksville municipal office Dec. 1. Cmdr. W. S. E. Morrison completes his three-year term as village commissioner this year.

T. C. Hocking, municipal clerk, has been named returning officer for the elections, which will take place in the municipal office Dec. 8.

W. E. Bond Resigns From Saanich Council

A letter of resignation from Councillor William E. Bond, representative of the former Ward One on Saanich Council, was received with regret by Saanich Council Tuesday night. Mr. Bond said his action was due to health reasons.

As Mr. Bond had earlier stated he will not seek re-election this year owing to pressure of business, council decided to give him leave of absence until after the election.

Mr. Bond was elected to the council last year.

Detailed Results In U.S. Voting

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Tuesday's election results, in brief:

New York—Former Governor Herbert H. Lehman (Dem.) defeated Senator John Foster Dulles (Rep.) for a one-year unexpired United States Senate term that ends in January, 1951.

New York City—Mayor William O'Dwyer (Dem.) was re-elected over Newbold Morris (Rep.-Lib.-Fusion) and Vito Marcantonio (American Labor Party). Mrs. Edna Kelly (Dem.) was elected to the U.S. House of Representatives in the 10th (Brooklyn) District over two men candidates.

New Jersey—Governor Alfred E. Driscoll (Rep.) defeated Elmer H. Wene (Dem.) and won four more years as governor.

Virginia—John S. Battle (Dem.) was elected governor over Walter Johnson (Rep.). A proposal to repeal the state poll tax and authorize the state legis-

Government Stands Firm On Increased Rental Ceilings

OTTAWA (CP)—The government, despite opposition in Parliament and outside it, plans to stand by a decision to authorize 20 and 25 per cent increases in domestic rents.

Finance Minister Abbott, amid a blast of criticism, told the Commons Tuesday the government will not alter the rental control policy outlined last Thursday.

The government, he said, recognized that an authorized increase in rental ceilings would be unpopular. But it involved considerations of a fairness to landlords who had been subject to controls for nine years while wages and salaries rose about 90 per cent.

"In centres where the shortage of rental accommodation is most acute, probably the majority of the landlords will take advantage of the maximum ceiling allowed," said Mr. Abbott.

"My estimate is that it will not be an across-the-board increase. This merely gives tenants and landlords the right to bargain within that range. My opinion, which is supported by the rental authorities, is that there will not be a horizontal increase of either 20 or 25 per cent."

Most of the opposition speakers disagreed and said they believed the landlords would take "every cent they can get." Many of the members quoted letters of protest from constituents and read newspaper editorials criticizing the government's action. Some suggested the increases were tantamount to complete removal of rental controls.

Mr. Abbott, although applauded loudly by Liberal members, drew his only verbal support from his Parliamentary assistant, Gleason Delittle (Lib.-Rimouski) and C. A. D. Cannon (Lib.-Ties-de-la-Mari-times, Que.).

Eight of the 13 C.C.F. members voiced their opposition, along with four of the 41 Progressive Conservative representatives. One of the 10 Social Credit members also spoke.

M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, initiated the debate with a motion adjourning the regular business of the House to permit a discussion of the rental increases.

Re-elect President Of Employees' Group

HONEYMOON BAY—John Gueulette was re-elected president of the Honeymoon Bay Employees' Social and Athletic Association at the annual general meeting.

Pete Frumento was elected vice-president and J. E. Butterfield secretary-treasurer. New directors are James Munro, Con Rowley, Michael Janovick and D. F. Hammond.

The association is responsible for Honeymoon Bay's modern Community Hall. They also sponsor other groups and clubs in the community.

Honeymoon Bay is the site of Western Forest Industries' new mill now under construction.

Funeral For Child Killed In Accident

NANAIMO—Funeral services were held today for eight-year-old Shirley May Kiphart, who died last Saturday from injuries suffered in a highway accident at Northfield.

Services were conducted from the Westwood Hirst Funeral Home by Capt. L. Titcombe of the Salvation Army. Burial was at Nanaimo Cemetery.

Logger Killed

PORT ALBERNI (BUP)—A logger identified as John Hardie, 28, of Vancouver, was killed in a logging mishap at Great Central Lake on Vancouver Island, Provincial Police reported at Port Alberni today. His mother is Mrs. Evelyn Hardie, 331 31st Street, Vancouver.

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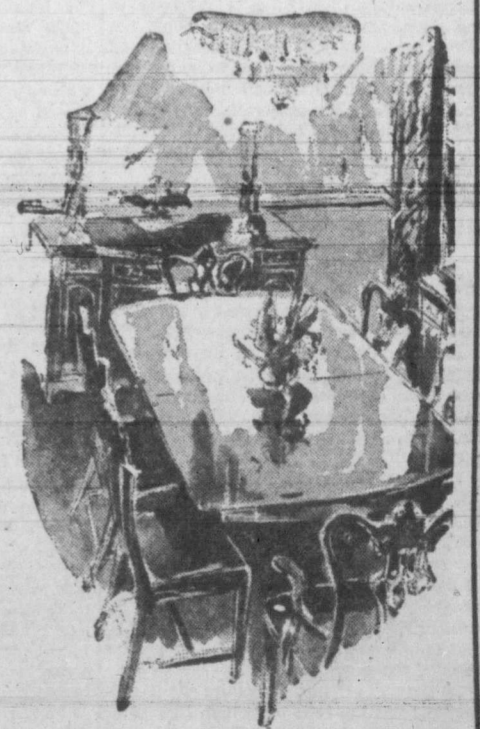
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THE FLOUR-MILLING REPORT

WHILE THE FEDERAL OPPOSITION parties were quick to make political capital out of the report on fixing prices in the flour-milling industry, the public will be wise to reserve judgment on the matter until all the facts are in. The report, compiled by Mr. F. A. McGregor, then chief combines investigator, charges eleven flour-milling companies with arranging price agreements during the years 1936-47, in violation of federal laws. Criticism has centred around the fact that the government has not taken steps to prosecute the companies for alleged infractions, and that although the report was dated Dec. 29, 1948, it was not tabled in Parliament until the resignation of Mr. McGregor a few days ago brought the matter to public attention.

Naturally, there is plenty of scope in such a situation for vigorous charges by Mr. Drew, Mr. Coldwell and Mr. Low, leaders of the Progressive Conservative, C.C.F. and Social Credit parties respectively. But, as Trade Minister Howe and Justice Minister Garson have pointed out, there are a number of factors which change the complexion of the case. Mr. Garson, for instance, has expressed his amazement that the industry "was being condemned (by the report) for carrying out policies that were obviously those" of the Wartime Prices Board and common to all control administration. There was also the fact that the industry co-operated closely with the Government during the war in adhering to uniform prices, which greatly facilitated controls in "a very complex pricing field." It was felt to be a little less than just, under the unusual circumstances, to condemn the companies for conduct at one period which had been requested of them at another.

Tabling the report would, of course, have raised demands for early prosecution. Mr. Garson has told the Commons the facts relating to this part of the case. While the whole matter was still under discussion by the Cabinet, another case launched under the Combines Investigation Act was defeated in the Ontario courts. It was obvious that any action taken against the milling industry was liable to the same fate, and legislation to plug loop-holes in the act was prepared. It is now before the Commons for implementation. Such is part of the background of the report, and more information doubtless will be revealed as debate progresses, providing a true perspective on what will likely prove to be one of the year's major controversies.

HOW IT'S DONE

AFTER HEARING THE VANCOUVER Symphony Orchestra play "O Canada" in the course of its concert here this week, a Victoria audience, we are told, left the theatre thinking the selection "did everything a national anthem should do—straightened the spine, tingled the scalp, set the pulses stirring with excitement and pride."

The reaction is not without precedent. Many an adult who recalled Shakespeare only as a dull monotony of blank verse chanted in sing-song by uninspired fellow pupils during school days, has been amazed to find how fresh and vivid are the lines when presented by first class actors. Innumerable other instances might be cited of satisfactory subject matter depreciated by inadequate treatment.

But national songs and anthems are at a disadvantage. Everyone is supposed to sing them. And when the tone blind, the hoarse, the unmusical and the disinterested render them, they leave a lot to be desired. Now, if the authorities will, only establish a law to prevent the desecration of national anthems and hymns by proscribing unsuitable voices.

DESTROYING AN ASSET

MOVING PICTURE PATRONS ON THIS continent should be well-informed on the position J. Arthur Rank holds in the movie industry. With the possible exception of Sir Laurence Olivier, probably no other Briton is better known for successful efforts to establish British films in their present preferred position. Mr. Rank was the man who made Hollywood sit up and take notice. His name associated with a production has become almost a hallmark of excellence.

Under these circumstances his threat to quit making films entirely unless he can secure some more advantageous arrangement with the British government than he now enjoys is not a gesture to be shrugged off lightly. Mr. Rank reported net losses for the group of which he is a member to be \$2,314,915 for the year ending last June 25. That sum is less than one-fifth of the profits recorded the preceding year.

Departure of the Yorkshire multi-millionaire from the rolls of British film makers would not necessarily kill the industry. But before he is allowed to make good his threat, government officials might well ponder the possible outcome. Surely J. Arthur Rank is a big business asset. Before his arrival on the scene, British moving picture production was not very highly regarded in the export market. Conceivably suitable successors might be found for him. But if present conditions are so adverse that he is going into the red, what likelihood

is there that less distinguished producers could do better? It might be more advantageous to take a little less from Mr. Rank, and keep taking it, than to have no Mr. Rank from whom to take anything.

GROWING PAINS

ONE OF THE APPARENTLY INEVITABLE penalties of "big city" living may be seen in the concern with which Vancouver authorities are viewing the increase of vandalism in the coast metropolis. Mayor Charles Thompson has declared war on the hoodlums who have been enlarging their activities in the field of petty crime and violence, and many of whom took advantage of Halloween celebrations to cause thousands of dollars of damage throughout the community. This week he proposed the recruiting of neighborhood patrol groups to protect property when necessary—a measure which in itself could give rise to varied consequences. "A thorough study" of the situation has also been recommended, with a view to making plans for future use. The problem in Vancouver has evidently reached serious proportions and it is to be hoped that a solution may be found. Fortunately, our smaller community promises to remain free of this less attractive feature of "growth and progress." That is something for which we might well be thankful.

AMID MOUNTING TENSIONS

EFFORTS OF PROVINCIAL AND FEDERAL departments to make provision for the treatment of the swelling number of mental cases coming to public attention will be genuinely appreciated by the citizens at large. The opening of the new Crease Clinic of Psychological Medicine at Essondale, coupled with the Dominion Department of Health's allocation of funds to assist training more specialists in the care of the unbalanced, are obviously essential steps at this time. It is to be hoped that these developments will result in restitution of many individuals to health, and that curative measures will be supplemented by preventive action.

Under the complexities of modern living, many people are being subjected to tensions which are too much for them. The exaggerated importance of certain activities, the weight of various duties and responsibilities are too frequently becoming so heavy that the individual cracks under the strain. Over-work and compensating over-play are exacting their toll.

In recognition of existing conditions, it is heartening to note the efforts made in educational circles to improve mental hygiene and to foster satisfactory adjustments in the child to the environment in which he or she is growing up.

There are, of course, technical phases of psychiatry with which the layman can have but scant familiarity. When cases have advanced to a certain point, only the expert can provide an effective treatment. But it must occur to thousands of Canadians who have looked cursorily into the matter, that many a mental case might never have reached the serious stage if the individual in question had been able to take himself less seriously, had enjoyed that inexpensive yet priceless gift of being able to laugh at himself occasionally.

It is not an easy matter in this age to return to those simplicities which in an earlier day were so valuable in cultivating a sound mental balance. But there are still some facilities available for alleviation of modern tensions. And among them is that saving grace, a sense of humor.

WARMER RELATIONS

FIFTEEN FRENCH HIGH COURT judges are determined not to dispense cold justice, according to a news item from Paris. After having given due warning they have adjourned all their cases until arrangements are made for proper heating of the courtrooms. It seems that the Paris Municipal Council heats the other rooms in the building, but the High Courts come under state responsibility—and the budget is depleted.

While the action no doubt was taken with only the judges' comfort in mind, there should be general thankfulness for two reasons on the part of the accused who appear before them. Not only will the courtrooms be more comfortable for all if the "strike" succeeds, but the added contentment of the men on the bench may be expected—or so the prisoners may reason—to guide their legal minds to a more humane consideration of the cases and a happier attitude toward the unfortunates involved. A thoroughly chilled judge, with a blue nose, numb fingers and a grudge against everybody, would be a fearsome person indeed to confront on a wintry Monday morning.

KISS IN THE DARK

IT WAS PERHAPS INEVITABLE IN THIS commercial age that someone should try to sell at 25 cents per osculation—the right to kiss the Blarney Stone, or at least a chip off it. And it was perhaps equally typical of our times that the episode should end with someone else stealing the mystic mineral. Used as a major attraction at a San Francisco church bazaar, a piece of the famed stone, reputedly chipped off and flown from Blarney Castle, near Cork, netted the church \$472.

But doubts arose as to its authenticity. The owner of Blarney Castle reported by telephone that no part of the rock was missing, but the owner of the fragment claimed his cousin in Cork had obtained it for him. Surely only a piece of the Blarney Stone could raise such a fuss and then disappear entirely. And those who so gladly paid to receive the blessing of the "gift of the gab" will have something to talk about already. Was the chip real or was it fake, and where is it now?

Matter Of Fact

By JOSEPH and STEWART ALSOP
from Washington

6 AND 25 MAKE 31

LEST everyone forget the changed world we are living in, it might be wise to begin each day by repeating, "Six and 25 make 31, and 25 makes 56." The intonation will have meaning, for these figures are the best available estimates of the annual Soviet production of atomic weapons.

In other words, if the intelligence experts have calculated correctly, the Kremlin will possess a stockpile of six atomic bombs by September, 1950; of 31 by September, 1951, and of 56 by September, 1952. Twenty-five atomic bombs per annum is considered the maximum Russian output. Production is therefore expected to continue at this rate until the Soviet empire's exploitable stocks of fissionable raw stuff have finally been exhausted.

FORECASTS like this must of course be taken with a grain of salt, even when they emanate from authoritative sources. There is no way of telling whether the analysts have now overrated Soviet capabilities, or are still erring on the low side as in the past. All that can be said for these figures is that they represent the best guess available, concerning the most critical single factor in the grim timetable of world events. As such, however, these figures must be taken very seriously indeed, until more dependable data have been secured.

THE MEANING of the figures is simple and obvious. Within two, three or four years, depending on the caution of their military planners, the masters of the Kremlin will have a sufficient stockpile of atomic weapons to begin bullying the nations of western Europe. Not long thereafter, if the Soviet war planners can meanwhile solve the problem of an attack at such long range, their stockpile will also become a threat to the United States.

On the brighter side, the analysts have only one contribution to make. In the late thirties, the Soviet government superintended and published a detailed, highly professional geological survey of the U.S.S.R. as then constituted. By a strange chance this official geological survey appears to show that the vast Russian land mass suffers from the same lack of satisfactory sources of fissionable raw stuff as the land mass of the United States. At the time when the survey was taken, at any rate, no formations likely to contain uranium or thorium had yet been located.

THE EVIDENCE of the geological survey is thought to be reinforced by the brutal intensity with which the Soviets are working the Jachymov and Erzgebirge uranium deposits in Czechoslovakia and the east zone of Germany. For these reasons, the majority of the experts strongly suspect that the Czech and east German mines are the sole Soviet ore sources. If this is so, it is predicted that ore shortage will halt Soviet manufacture of atomic weapons at the end of about six years. The Kremlin's stockpile will then consist of approximately 130 bombs.

UNFORTUNATELY, this hopeful theory is strongly disputed by the same realistic minority of analysts who insisted that the Soviets would produce the Beria bomb at a relatively early date. These realists say first that the Soviet geological survey cannot be regarded as absolutely reliable, having been taken before the Geiger counter era. They point out further that the Soviets are perfectly capable, if need be, of exploiting such inferior uranium deposits as Americans also have in the United States.

They add, in conclusion, that there are many reasons to believe uranium is present in important quantities in the newly conquered Soviet province of Sinkiang, or Chinese Turkestan, in central Asia. It must be said that on this vital point, the arguments for the realist minority seem convincing. For who can suppose, for example, that Lavrenti Beria would lose five minutes' sleep because thousands of political prisoners are dying every month at Jachymov, even if the entire Soviet uranium requirement is meanwhile being met from central Asian mines?

IN ANY case, it will be as foolish now to rest hopes on a supposed limitation of Soviet raw material sources, as it has proved foolish already, to say that "Russia will never get the bomb because the Russians haven't got the know-how."

The grim truth is that a situation can easily be imagined, in which the Kremlin will gain mastery of Eurasia without expending a single atomic bomb. For if the United States' allies overseas feel that the United States is too feeble to succor them, they will not stop to count whether the Soviet stockpile is 50 bombs, or a hundred, or two hundred. The weaker among them will come to terms. The stronger will find themselves outflanked. Such are the risks involved in policy of weakness, which is excused on the ground that the richest nation in the world is too poor to afford an adequate national defence.

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When a business enterprise takes a man or woman into its service, it has a bounden duty to begin setting aside for that individual's old age. If it cannot afford to do that, it shouldn't be in business.—C.I.O. President Philip Murray.

In the sphere of foreign affairs, India will follow an independent policy, keeping away from the power politics of groups aligned against each other.—Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru of India.

Winners In Every Conflict



As Our Readers See It

TEEN AGERS AGAIN

There is now a club in town called the Mid-Town Teen Club. Here the boys and girls can go and have a good time under the able supervision of Mr. and Mrs. Heller, their son and his friends. If you could only see them laughing and singing and dancing—all good clean fun—it would do your heart good. The supervisors carry a big responsibility, but receive no remuneration for their work.

My husband and I visited the club and were surprised to see the good job these people are doing, and when I say a job I mean it. Can you imagine supervising 200 to 300 teenagers from all parts of town, without any outside help? They have to keep out the rough friends and undesirables who want to get in to spoil the fun of the others. I think it is wonderful the way these people give up one and sometimes two nights a week to see that these youngsters can who don't want to be bothered with the rest of the good citizens who don't want to be bothered with the coming generation. I think Mr. and Mrs. Heller should have a good hearty slap on the back and a few good words instead of knocks. I am not forgetting their teenage helpers I think they should be commended too.

Mrs. H. J. REED,
R.R.1, Royal Oak.

'SUNDAY BOREDOM'

It is interesting to have three opinions so well expressed re keeping the Sabbath. I also hope that my opinion may be as interesting. As we study world conditions today we are appalled to read of the amount of sickness, especially mental sickness, that prevails, even in our own healthy Canada.

It seems that new hospitals cannot be constructed quickly enough to cope with this serious situation! Then, take a look at the monetary situation in Britain and elsewhere—the threat of World War III, strikes, riots and political strife, etc. But it

is refreshing to note that our God has a people on this earth of His whom He calls "the salt of the earth." A certain few, who still believe that in giving us the one day in seven to rest and meditate on His written word, He was expressing His undying love for His people. I beg you to note, and carefully ponder on what He has to say on this subject through His great prophet, Isaiah:

"If thou turn away thy foot from the Sabbath, from doing thy pleasure on My holy day, and call the Sabbath a delight, the holy of the Lord, honorable, and shall honor Him, not doing thine own ways, nor finding thine own pleasure, nor speaking thine own words, then shalt thou delight thyself in the Lord and I will cause thee to ride upon the high places of the earth."

The Master's way, which we should strive to emulate, was to "do good" on the Sabbath and not only to appear to be good!

Thank God for Sunday and its opportunities.

TOM JOLLY,
3817 Cadboro Bay.

'TO BILL'

I am terribly concerned for our Victoria after reading the report of Admiral Malmgren's commission, there is so much English accent heard in Victoria.

Question: What is an "English" accent? Oxford? Cambridge? (which the American Time magazine says is spoken by Pandit Nehru), B.B.C., or George Formby?

It is surely necessary for our "Canadianization" that denaturation courts be started at once. I suggest a big bonfire upon which those of us born in the accursed British Isles should burn our birth certificates.

And on the fire should be thrown all English books used in our schools, including "Lorna Doone," which could be replaced by "Sex Life in Hollywood."

It is important to take note of the letter of a young damsel, recently, in which she complained bitterly of having to

study English history, which she stated, was of no interest to her, who would much rather study Canadian or American history.

We should, of course, expurgate everything English from our history books, which would leave merely the preface, and thus lighten the studies of our overworked students, leaving them more time to read movie news.

Splitting in the eye of our best customer is a new way of promoting the sale of exports upon which we depend for our very living. Of course, our outmoded slogan must be changed to:

"A little bit of old Canada." Note should be taken of the importance of protecting our Rhodes scholarships and diplomats who risk contamination by their residence among those horrid English.

One can appreciate the desire of the naval rating to address the admiral as "Lo Bill," and the delighted admiral's reply, "H'ya Bud?" The "Nelson touch," which has protected this continent for so many years must be "played down," along with other "touches," including the income tax "touch," "Chaucer a son government."

E. A. M. WILLIAMS,
1918 Crescent Road.

'AFFECTED ACCENTS'

Re item in your issue of Nov. 2, entitled "Affected Accents in Navy Resented by Lower Deck." Well, I never heard such a thing in my life. I am sending a cutting home to England, as I have relatives who happen to be senior officers in the navy, and it would be interesting to have their opinion.

I read Commander Kingscote's letter in your issue of Nov. 5—a very good letter. He is perfectly correct in his statements, especially at the conclusion where he says the R.N., in spite of their aggravating accents, they did a pretty good job, and I add, as all the world knows.

WALTER W. JOSEPHS,
1707 Lee Avenue.

GLOBAL SURVEY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

RUSSIAN diplomacy often adopts the sphinx-like characteristic of speaking in riddles, and so it is with Soviet Foreign Minister Vishinsky's intriguing pronouncement about sleeping Russo-American friendship.

What Vishinsky actually said to reporters in Washington on the anniversary of the Red revolution was that the common feeling of friendship between Russia and the United States had fallen asleep but that some day it would awaken.

That's really a beautiful poetic expression—and it's mighty interesting. The trouble is that, after the cryptic fashion of the sphinx, the foreign minister doesn't give us the all-important information as to what he believes it is that will awaken friendship. That leaves it up to us to supply the answer, and so your columnist will undertake to fill in the missing link.

The sleeping friendship will be awakened when we reach the happy day in which neither country is interfering in the private affairs of the other. That is to say in blunt language, the awakening is dependent on each side minding its own dog-gone business.

Ipsos facto this would mean an end to Moscow's world-revolution for the spread of Communism, and to the cold war which has grown out of the revolution.

The Soviet government was established in Russia in 1917 at the successful conclusion of the Bolshevik revolution. But it wasn't until 1933 that Washington established formal relations with this regime.

Why this exceptionally long delay in recognition? Because Russian agents in the United States were spreading the gospel of Communism and doing all they could to undermine the American government. Finally President Franklin D. Roosevelt extended recognition, after protracted conversations with Moscow's emissary, Maxim Litvinoff, who had the reputation of being a true believer in peace.

Roosevelt laid down stern conditions. Each government agreed to respect the territorial integrity of the other, not to interfere in the internal affairs of the other and not to permit in its territory any group planning violation of the other.

Red activities in the United States, of course, never have ceased.

CLIPPED AT RANDOM

ALLIANCE ARSENAL

London (Ont.) Free Press—It would be logical if as is now indicated by some informed sources in Ottawa, Canada should be asked to provide the space and the food for the training of allied personnel of the North Atlantic Alliance.

Canada as the second arsenal of the North Atlantic Alliance—the United States being the first—holds vast possibilities, military and industrially. And in the necessary increase in skilled industrial workers. Already Canadian natural resources are attracting American investors in increasing numbers. Many circumstances point to the second half of this century being Canada's in many ways and forms. Circumstances in the world tend to accelerate the motion of the Dominion toward prominence and power in international affairs, and military training bases and new bastions have their places within this inevitable evolution.

COLDWELL MANOEUVRES

Toronto Globe and Mail—C.C.F. Leader M. J. Coldwell is complaining of delay in national health insurance. He told a students' meeting in Ottawa that his party, if elected to power, would enact such a measure within a year of taking office. Mr. Coldwell is in no unique position supporting health insurance, for all the major parties have done so. Where he differs is that he would create the shadow without the substance.

Health insurance can be effective only in so far as personnel and hospital facilities are available, and national health surveys have shown that in no wise are they adequate. There is a shortage not only of hospital accommodation, but also of doctors, dentists, nurses and especially of laboratory technicians. Prime Minister St. Laurent himself underscored the situation when he said that "the hospitals today are overcrowded and it wouldn't be right to give a man contractual rights to hospital treatment when the hospital space would not be available." Under present circumstances, he said, it would be "dishonest" to bring in health insurance.

'Free Drinking Water'

North American Newspaper Alliance

FROM what seemed a failure 14 years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Husted are operating a drug store in the township of Wall, South Dakota, 508 population, that is probably as well known as any in the world.

BIG IDEA

It grew from a big idea in a bad moment, relates Changing Times, the Kiplinger Magazine, in its November issue.

The Husteds were graduated from the University of Nebraska, were married, and with strong hopes opened the Wall drug store. The location seemed good; Wall is on the edge of South Dakota's badlands, which attract thousands of tourists.

But the tourists didn't trade at the drug store. They drove through town without stopping.

The little business seemed about to fail when Mrs. Husted got the idea of putting out some

signs along the road, offering something free. So they posted

Unshapely Legs

Windsor Star—Discomfort has not prevented women from wearing what they consider to be the latest in shoe styles. They are willing to have their toes pinched, to walk along on their toes, or on their heels if other women are doing the same.

But words of Dr. Robert Smith, a Hamilton chiropodist, may startle them out of blindly following what they deem the dictates of fashion. He predicts the time will come when women's legs are straight from the knee down, with thick, ugly ankles, and huge feet. The larger feet already are apparent on teen-age girls.

Women may still be willing to risk discomfort. We doubt if they will wish to risk unshapely legs as a result of "stylish" shoes.

signs stating that the drug store was so many miles distant and inviting motorists to stop for free, cold drinking water.

The response was immediate, and the Husteds quickly added new services and features. And last season the drug store attracted 600,000 customers, was often jam-packed from dawn to closing time at 9.30 p.m.

The Husteds now have 1,000 signs on American highways giving the distance to the Wall drug store. And all over the world, their friends have put up similar signs. American soldiers posted them in Berlin; others turned up in Cairo, Bagdad, Tokyo, London and in the Pacific Islands.

REAL MISSION

The Husteds haven't forgotten their real mission—the filling of prescriptions. Husted fills around 200 a day and often gets up in the night to furnish medicine for the sick.

Moslems Now Have Religious Freedom In Jewish State

HAIFA (AP)—Religious leaders of Moslems and Christian Arabs in Israel report they are satisfied freedom of worship exists in the new Jewish state. Spokesmen for the more than 100,000 Moslems and the 70,000 Christian Arabs say they have had no interference from and are satisfied with the ministry of

religions headed by 75-year-old Rabbi Y. L. Maimon. The ministry pays the Moslem clergymen known as Imams and the Moslem religious judges called kadis. These judges head autonomous Sharia courts which deal with questions of marriage, divorce, adoptions and inheritance. A government spokesman said Israel is the only non-Moslem state in the world where Moslems have independent Sharia courts. He pointed out that the Moslems comprise only one-tenth of this country's population. "We have complete freedom of

religion," says Mohamed Bastoni, chairman of the Moslem community council in Haifa. He pointed out that the government spent £1,000 recently to clean and repair a mosque in Haifa. In Acre, Moslem leaders reported that the Israel government plans to open a theological school there for the study of the Koran, the Holy Book of Islam.

Auto Hits House

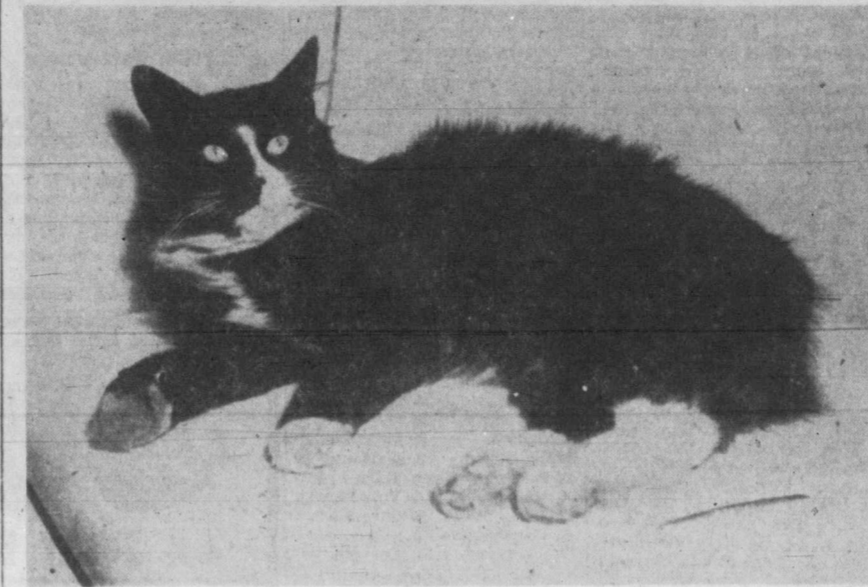
VANCOUVER (CP)—Eight times in three years wayward autos have invaded the privacy of Mrs. K. Healy.

Mrs. Healy and her mother-in-law escaped injury Tuesday when an auto crashed into another vehicle, rolled over a boulevard and crashed into the Healy home.

Mrs. Fred Inch suffered a leg fracture when she was thrown out of the car. Her condition is reported fair by the Vancouver General Hospital.

Seven times before there have been accidents near the Healy residence, but this was the first time an auto had actually crashed into the house.

Cat Leading Dog's Life With Sunstroke, Amputation Of Tail



Recalling trying times in hospital, 'Sparky', tailless, was somewhat hostile toward the cameraman as the flash-bulb went off for this picture. Here, his dignity apparently unruffled, he lies in his favorite spot atop the refrigerator of his owners.

There is a cat over Fairfield way who is leading a dog's life. He is, or possibly it should be, a beautiful Persian—but he has had a streak of bad luck recently.

In fact, if hospital insurance is ever introduced in the feline field, this one will probably be the first to contribute.

His name is Sparky and it all started during the Labor Day week-end when he got too much sun. Mrs. Cec. Langton, 148 Linden Avenue, who owns him thinks he may have fallen asleep too long on a rooftop somewhere around the neighborhood.

In any case, 'Sparky' arrived home acting far from himself. He was dizzy and was cutting up like a loon, the lady reports.

He was taken to a veterinarian who was unable to diagnose the trouble until the following day. Sparky, it seems, had developed a touch of sunstroke.

This can be interpreted as a plug for Victoria's weather, for Persian cats must surely be able to stand extremely warm climatic conditions, for Persia is a hot country.

Nevertheless, Sparky took a few days to get over his sunstroke and returned home fit as ever.

But he got a little careless one day while crossing a street to a nearby field. It was his habit to make a daily routine of hunting for mice in the vacant lot, and he doubtless had things pertaining to rodent delicacies in his mind as he traversed the thoroughfare.

Too late he saw an approaching automobile, and, though he scooted for the curb, he did not quite make it.

The car ran over his tail. There followed a day or two

of suspense, and the housewife and her husband had a decision to make.

For \$50 they could get Sparky's battered tail wired together, but the veterinarian would not guarantee that the cat would be able to wag the furry extremity after the operation.

It was finally decided to amputate, and the cat was in hospital for a week.

Nowadays, Sparky can be seen, looking for all the world like a Manx cat, making his daily trip to the field across the road.

Neighbors say they can almost detect the injured pride of the pussy as he goes about his business with his north end (when facing south) bare as a result of necessary clipping to remove the tail.

But he is coming along nicely, thank you, and the fur is gradually growing back in.

The housewife, who loves her pet, is pleased Sparky is safe and sound and back home again. "... but," she remarked, "if that darn cat has anything else happen to him..."

Damages Awarded

VANCOUVER (CP)—More than \$7,000 damages were awarded Tuesday to two Vancouver sisters against the B.C. Electric Railway.

Damages to 23-year-old Patricia Shopsy, a sales clerk, and her

sister, Nancy, followed a traffic accident Dec. 17, 1948.

The two were passengers in a car driven by Forest Paulson, U.S. Navy, involved in a collision with a B.C.E.R. streetcar.

Nancy suffered face cuts and broken teeth and Patricia permanently-damaged teeth, scars and eye injuries.

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Restrict Airborne Hunters, Fishermen, Official Advocates

OTTAWA (CP)—The airborne hunter and fisherman, becoming more common in Canada in recent years, could cause "tremendous damage" to the wild life of Canada, a government expert said here.

Dr. Harrison Lewis, chief of the Resources Department's Wildlife Division, told the Dominion-provincial conference on tourist trade Tuesday, that more direct control was needed over the use of airplanes to get into inaccessible game areas.

Aircraft, he said, enable many hunters and fishermen to "reach easily all the remaining virgin areas that have hitherto been natural sanctuaries for game and fish."

This method of hunting enables "hunters and fishermen, in out-of-the-way places, to carry on their operations without surveillance... to spot large game from the air, so that they can land nearby and shoot it..."

Aircraft also enabled tourists to make hunting and fishing trips into Canada with "a minimum of expenditure in this country."

"The unrestricted aircraft, like the unrestricted rifle or the unrestricted net, can wreak tremendous damage to the wild life of this country," he added, and they should be restricted.

Some Would Abuse Full Compensation, Inquiry Informed

Hundred per cent compensation for injured workmen, as urged by some labor groups, was scored by one witness to the Workmen's Compensation Board inquiry at the Court House Tuesday afternoon, on the grounds that such compensation would kill "the men's initiative."

He was Eric V. Hansen, who presented a submission for the Master Painters' Association.

"I am not speaking of the majority when I say that," he told the inquiry. "I speak of those few who will spoil it for the rest."

"In every group there are always a few or one who would say, 'Oh, I'll stay off another week, I am on full compensation,'" Mr. Hansen said.

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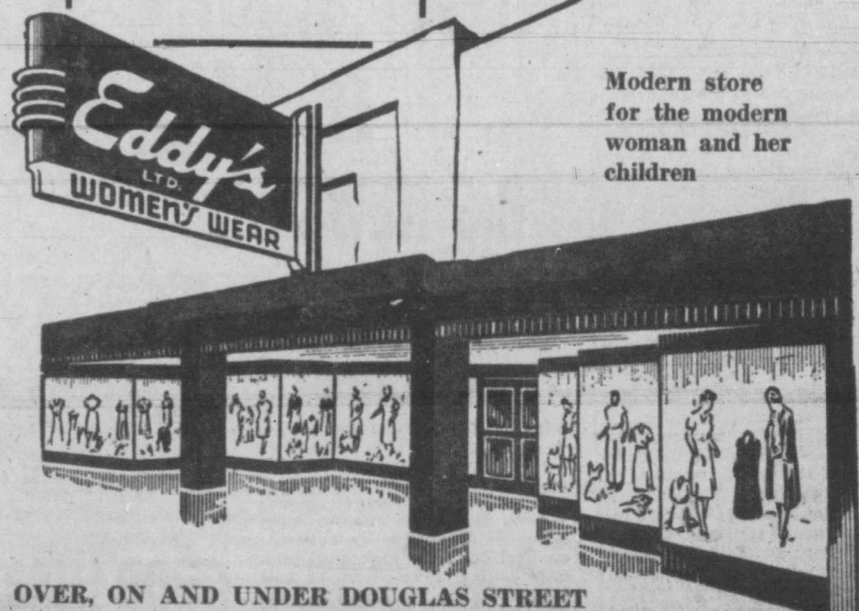
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My Three Years In Moscow

(Continued from page 1)

NIKOLAI MIKHAILOVITCH SHVERNIK, 61, native of Russia, Chairman of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet (titular Chief of State), alternate member of the Politburo since 1944, former Secretary General of the All-Union Council of Trade Unions from 1930 to 1944.

KLEMENTY EFREMOVITCH VOROSHILOV, 68, native of Russia, Deputy Chairman of the Council of Ministers, member of the Politburo since 1926, member of the Supreme Soviet, former Commissar of Defence from 1925 to 1939, and Chairman of the Allied Control Commission for Hungary from 1945 to 1947.

Statesmen Work

These men are, in every sense of the word, dedicated men. As a group, they represent the most effective form of authoritarian dictatorship, that is, dictatorship by committee. They are, without exception, intelligent, able, disciplined and indefatigable. I doubt that any statesmen in the world work half as hard as do those of the Soviet Union. They are Stalin's men, loyal to him and owe their advancement to him and to his appreciation of their merits and abilities.

I believe also that they are completely ruthless and even cynical in their determination to retain power for themselves and for a Communist party in which the doctrine of Stalinism has replaced pure Marxism.

Those apologists for the Soviet system who argue that what we believe to be iron tyranny could not have produced the heights of courage and endurance that the Soviet people exhibited during the years of the war ignore the fact that Russian serfs exhibited equal courage and endurance on previous similar occasions without the hopes which the party held out during the most recent one; but it is certainly true that none of the weak and venal Czarist governments in Russia's history could have withstood even a fraction of the strain and adversity that the disciplined Communist party government endured and overcame to triumph in the end and to emerge even stronger.

Gift of Immortality

The most significant thing about this small group at the supreme pinnacle of Soviet power is that for almost ten years, and until very recently, there had been practically no change among them. Prior to 1938, there was a period when changes in high governmental positions occurred with a rapidity equalled only during the historical periods of revolutionary chaos. Thereafter, the most important figures in Soviet political life seemed so permanently fixed as to justify the cynical remark of one foreign observer that no one could have survived the purge years who was not endowed with the gift of immortality.

There were not even any important deaths, until the recent death of Zhdanov. That of Mikhail Ivanovitch Kalinin, the venerable Chief of State so respected and loved by the peasants, which took place shortly after my arrival in Moscow, occurred after Kalinin had retired from active political life because of age and ill-health.

Very recently, one alternate member, Vosnesensky, was dropped without the slightest explanation, but his departure did not negate the generally held idea that the Politburo was a dead-end street from which the only exit was via the undertaker. During this decade, also, there have been no really important changes in the composition of the Central Committee of the Communist party, or even in the leading provincial party positions.

Sacrificial Victims

This would be a remarkable thing in any country that had been through two major changes of foreign policy and a military struggle that threatened the very existence of the state. And it is a phenomenon of the first order in a political system like that of the Soviet Union, which has never failed to produce a few political sacrificial victims whose confessions explain every major reverse in the fortunes of the country.

And so the same small group has remained in power for a long time. Its average age now is over 57. There is no sign yet of the introduction of new and younger men into this select circle, but this may come at the next party congress, the first since 1939, which apparently will be called in the near future.

Except for Molotov and Mikoyan, these men have little knowledge of the outside world or of foreign statesmen. The vast pattern of international life, political and economic, can provide few associations and hold little significance to them except in what they conceive to be its bearing on the problems of Soviet security and internal development. Independence of judgment

is not a characteristic of Communists, who must follow a rigid party line, and to keep a head level enough to avoid becoming self-intoxicated by the propaganda and auto-suggestion with which the Soviet Union has been flooding the world for years would tax the best efforts of a very cosmopolitan mind — and these men are anything but cosmopolitan.

Yet the images and impressions that are created in their minds by what they hear of life beyond the borders of the Soviet Union, the conclusions they draw from these and the recommendations they make based on these conclusions are of vital importance to the world. What these conclusions will be, and how they will influence the policy of the Soviet Union toward the West, we can only guess from what we know of the background and personalities of those among them who seem to have the greatest influence with Stalin.

Extreme Curiosity

There was, quite naturally, extreme curiosity throughout the world last spring when both Molotov and Mikoyan, the men with the greatest knowledge of the outside world, were relieved of their posts as Minister of Foreign Affairs and Minister of Foreign Trade, respectively. The communique announcing the change was terse and brief and said merely they would continue as Deputy Vice Premiers.

There was wild speculation everywhere about whether this meant a new split in the Soviet hierarchy, whether Molotov and Mikoyan were being demoted or promoted. Since a shift in Cabinet personnel usually accompanies shifts in the tactical line followed by Moscow, there were many who wondered if A. Y. Vishinsky had been put into the Foreign Office to soften up the "tough" line followed by Molotov, which had not been successful and which had, in fact, caused the West to unite in the North Atlantic pact and to beat the Berlin blockade.

No one outside the upper Soviet hierarchy can give even an approximate picture of what is happening inside the higher strata of the Bolshevik party. One can only piece together scattered facts. It seems now, however, that the shift that relieved Molotov and Mikoyan of separate Cabinet assignments was little more than a reversion to Soviet practice before the war, when ministries were headed by technicians rather than by statesmen-politicians of the first rank. That policy kept Politburo members free of administrative responsibility and gave them more time for attention to overall governmental problems.

Making Changes

But while the Molotov-Mikoyan shift may not have been an important change in the ranking of the Soviet hierarchy, it is certain, as the ouster of Vosnesensky demonstrates, that the relative positions of influence of members of the Politburo within the organization itself have been and are changing.

When I think of the straws that we watched in an effort to determine the direction of the Soviet political wind and to arrive at reasonable intelligent answers to questions that would be freely and openly discussed in every newspaper in every non-Communist country in the world, I am always reminded of a paragraph written by the French observer, de Custine, who visited Moscow in 1839:

"If better diplomats are to be found among the Russians than among the most highly civilized

peoples, it is because our papers warn them of everything that happens or is contemplated in our countries, and because, rather than prudently disguising our weaknesses, we expose them passionately each morning, whereas their Byzantine policy on the other hand, working in the shadow, carefully conceals all that is thought, done and feared in their country. We walk in broad daylight; they advance under cover. The game is one-sided; the ignorance in which they leave us blinds us; our sincerity enlightens them; we have the weakness of chattering; they have the force of secrecy. There, above all, is the cause of their cleverness."

Same Today

That was written 110 years ago, but de Custine might have been speaking for any diplomat in Moscow today as he complained of the paucity of information to be found in the Soviet press. We were forced, by necessity, to lean on many weak reeds. In Moscow we always used to study with interest the published lists of Politburo members who were candidates for government office, in the thought that these lists, since they were not arranged alphabetically or in the order of party seniority, might be a fairly accurate barometer of the order of their actual standing after Stalin.

These lists for the elections of January, 1946; January, 1947, and

November, 1947, gave the names of the Politburo members in the following order:

January, 1946

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| 1. Stalin | 7. Andreyev |
| 2. Molotov | 8. Zhdanov |
| 3. Beria | 9. Kaganovitch |
| 4. Malenkov | 10. Khrushchev |
| 5. Mikoyan | 11. Shvernik |
| 6. Voroshilov | 12. Voznesensky |

January, 1947

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| 1. Stalin | 8. Kaganovitch |
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| 5. Voroshilov | 12. Shvernik |
| 6. Mikoyan | 13. Kosygin |
| 7. Andreyev | 14. Bulganin |

November, 1947

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|----------------|-----------------|
| 1. Stalin | 8. Mikoyan |
| 2. Molotov | 9. Malenkov |
| 3. Zhdanov | 10. Khrushchev |
| 4. Voroshilov | 11. Voznesensky |
| 5. Beria | 12. Shvernik |
| 6. Kaganovitch | 13. Bulganin |
| 7. Andreyev | 14. Kosygin |

It will be noted that Stalin and Molotov held firm in the Number 1 and Number 2 spots. Beria, who had been third in January, 1946, and a year later, had dropped to fifth by November, 1947. Zhdanov, now dead, but looked upon for a long time as the leading heir-apparent, had been eighth in January, 1946, fourth in January, 1947, and third eleven months later. Malenkov, who was fourth in 1946, dropped to tenth in the January, 1947 listing, but had

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climbed back up to ninth in November of that year.

Stalin On Front

Color was added to the idea that these lists might to some extent indicate party prominence by the announcements of nominations to the Moscow City Soviet during the last election. Both Pravda and Izvestia featured the story of Stalin's nomination on Page 1; and, on Page 2, separate stories covered the nominations of Molotov and Zhdanov. The other Soviet leaders were lumped

together in a long article giving their names.

Molotov was described in these articles as Stalin's "closest colleague and the executor of the Leninist-Stalinist foreign policy."

Zhdanov was called "the greatest worker of the Bolshevik party and the Soviet government" and "a great theoretician of the Bolshevik party—a fiery fighter against subservience to foreigners."

Voroshilov was commended for his part in the creation of the

Soviet Army. Beria was not mentioned for any particular contemporary function, probably because the nature of his present task is shrouded in secrecy (he is believed to be in charge of atomic development, among other things), but he was cited for wartime service in increasing munitions production.

Malenkov was lauded for increasing agricultural production last summer and for his war work.

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Another installment of "My Three Years in Moscow" will be published in the Victoria Times Wednesday. These memoirs of General Smith are being published

simultaneously by the New York Times and the Daily Telegraph of London. In France they are being syndicated by Opera Mundi of Paris. In January, they will be published in book form by J. B. Lippincott Company in the United States and by Heinemann in Great Britain.

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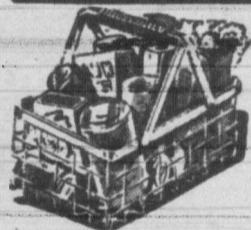
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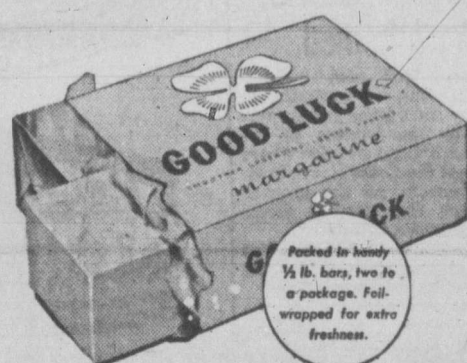
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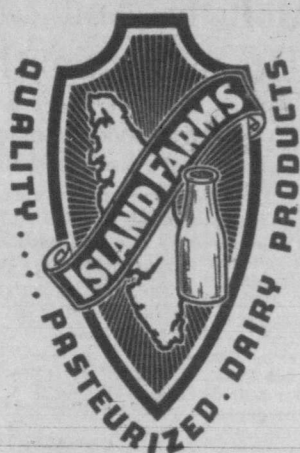
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After Five Parties Honor Patricia Pitts And Fiance

Mrs. Macdonald and her sister, Miss Pitts, will entertain at an "after five" party today at the former's home, 3065 Uplands Road, to honor their niece, Miss Patricia Pitts and her fiance Lieut. Joseph F. Heald, U.S.N., of Oakland, Cal., who are to be married this Saturday.

On Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilson will entertain for the

young couple at their home, 1514 Regents Place. Miss Pitts and her fiance were also honor guests when Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wilson entertained at their Uplands Road home on Tuesday.

Miss Pitts is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pitts of Ashcroft, B.C., and is at present saying with her grandmother, Mrs. J. E. Wilson, St. Charles Street.

Mrs. H. A. Wallace has returned to her Beach Drive home following several days' visit in Vancouver.

Dr. and Mrs. W. McCurdy and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ross, all of Winnipeg, who are staying at the Swedish Villa, will spend the winter months in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Forrest and their daughter Iris, are recent arrivals on Vancouver Island from Verdun, Man., and will make their future home at "Flinona Cottage," Bayview Road, Langford Lake.

Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Turner returned to their home on Newport Avenue earlier this week after a month's motor trip in California where Dr. Turner attended the American Dental Association in San Francisco. The couple also visited friends in Los Angeles.

Miss Jeannine Atterberry, who will become the bride of Mr. Gordon Lewis Hunter this month, was the honor guest when Mrs. J. P. Alexander and her sister, Mrs. S. Mars, held a surprise miscellaneous shower at the home of the bride-to-be's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leadbetter, Edgeware Road. Corsage bouquet of roses was presented to the honor guest and mothers of the affianced couple, Mrs. Leadbetter and Mrs. E. J. Hunter, received chrysanthemum corsage bouquet. A pink and white umbrella concealed shower gifts. Refreshments were served from a tea table centred with chrysanthemums. Others invited were Mesdames R. Williams, H. Merriman, P. McLeod, R. Voyles, A. Leadbetter, Sr., Mary Hunter, Ethel Webb, M. Marchant, W. Logan, T. Logan and W. Dunford.

In honor of Miss Ruby Weston and Mr. Leslie Baker, whose marriage takes place this month, Mrs. G. Weston and Mrs. G. Stock were co-hostesses at a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter. On arrival the bride-elect was presented with a corsage bouquet of pink and white carnations; her mother, Mrs. E. R. Weston and mother of the groom-elect, Mrs. J. Denny receiving white chrysanthemums. Gifts were concealed in a decorated wishing well. During the evening there were games and dancing. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. T. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. E. Weston, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. G. Elliot, Mr. and Mrs. W. Atkinson, Mrs. F. Herbert, Messrs E. R. Weston, Sr.; G. Weston, L. Herbert, R. A. Dempster and Miss Maxine Herbert.

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Bridal Paths



Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Alfred Steer are seen above at a reception following their marriage in St. John's Church. The bride, Lorna Marjorie, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ashe, and Mr. Steer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Steer, St. Lawrence Street. The young couple, who spent their honeymoon in Seattle, are now making their home in this city.—(Photo by Leonard Holmes)

Prophetic Report Envisions Growth Of B.C. Institutes

"The women's institutes are exactly what is needed in British Columbia. The country is young; its interests need cementing together. It will be a means of bringing together under one banner the rich and poor, the old and young, and those of all religions to receive and give valuable, practical knowledge along the lines of home-making and housekeeping."

This excerpt, from the May, 1910, report of Miss Laura Rose, organizer of the first women's institutes in British Columbia, was read by the Provincial W.I. superintendent, Mrs. Stella Gummow, at the November meeting of Lake Hill Institute, Monday afternoon. In that same report Miss Rose made the prophetic statement that "British Columbia is going to be among the foremost provinces in this work."

Special guests with Mrs. Gummow at Monday's meeting were Mrs. Harry Bowman, wife of the minister of agriculture, and Miss Hilda Leighton, former Provincial W.I. secretary, recently returned from a visit to England.

It was decided as part of the 1950 program to include a study of Denmark, as Copenhagen is to be the scene of the next triennial conference of the Associated Countrywomen of the World, to which British Columbia will be sending delegates; also to make a study of citizenship.

Announcement was made that donations of fruits, vegetables and canned goods will be received for the Solarium on Nov. 16 from 2 until 4 p.m. Mrs. R. Myles, progressive 500 convener, reported card games had been changed from Fridays to Tuesdays.

Mrs. W. S. Webster and Mrs. E. Glover, conveners of the Dec. 7 bazaar, asked for donations of home cooking, utility, needlework and articles for a parcel post stall. Mesdames G. F. Greenwell, R. Myles and W. McGregor were named a nominations committee and it was decided that a Christmas parcel would be sent to an institute in England.

Mrs. Webster presided and Mrs. Myles convened tea arrangements.

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Her mother's wedding veil enhanced the portrait gown of embroidered nylon net worn by Gwenith Alberta Earle, now Mrs. Stanley William Jones, for her marriage recently in St. Aidan's United Church. Mr. and Mrs. Jones, who spent their honeymoon on the mainland, are now making their home at Begbie Street. The bride is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Campbell Earle, Mortimer Street, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. William G. Jones of Sechelt, B.C.—(Photo by Jonas Studio)

To Open Sale Of Handicrafts



MISS SARA SPENCER

Promptly at 11 a.m. tomorrow in Prince Robert House, Miss Sara Spencer will declare the annual sale of handicrafts, made by blind citizens of Victoria, open for visitors. The sale will continue until 9 p.m. Madame Renee Archibald is general convener, assisted by Mrs. C. H. King, Mrs. A. D. Bechtel, Mrs. T. M. Knox and Miss Ruth Jones. Mrs. F. E. Winslow is in charge of the arrangements and Mrs. R. H. B. Ker, the decorations.

Victoria West—Guest speaker at the meeting of Victoria West P.T.A. next Monday, in the school, commencing at 8 p.m., will be A. J. Worth, and his topic, "Locks Through the Ages." Members will bring donations for December bazaar.

Plan Gay Program For Children's Fete

A complete program of fun and entertainment is being arranged by members of St. Joseph's Junior Auxiliary for the Children's Christmas Tea to be held in the nurses' home, Dec. 17.

Auxiliary members discussed plans for the affair at their recent meeting with Mrs. J. O'Connor, vice-president presiding. It was announced that Wynne Shaw's pupils would present dance numbers and there will be movies and a fish pond. Santa Claus will be guest of honor and will present gifts to the youngsters. Mrs. F. Rough, Garden 5017 is in charge of reservations.

Club Calendar

Royal Bride Chapter, I.O.E., business meeting, at home of Mrs. Barbara Green, 3438 Cook Street, Thursday at 8 p.m. Silver tea, St. Paul's Presbyterian Church Ladies' Aid Society, church hall, Thursday at 2:30 p.m. Afternoon tea, Afternoon Branch, St. Saviour's Women's Auxiliary, parish hall, Thursday at 2:30 p.m.

Junior Musical Arts Society, Saturday at 2:30 p.m. Newstead Realty Building, 734 Fort Street. Refreshments will be served following program.

Craigflower Women's Institute, regular meeting, Thursday at 2 p.m. at home of Mrs. W. P. Rankin, Craigflower Road.

Victoria Chapter, No. 25, Women of the Moose, business meeting, Thursday at 8 p.m., K. of P. Hall.

Bruce E. McLean And Bride To Make Home At Smithers

Following their honeymoon on the mainland Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Elmer McLean, who were married last evening in St. Saviour's Church, will travel to Smithers, B.C., to make their home.

Rev. Douglas Kendall read nuptial service for the bride, the former Muriel Gladys Burton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Burton, 1223 Bewdley Avenue, and son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. McLean, 211 Skinner Street.

Autumn blossoms created the setting for the bride in her traditional white satin gown styled on long, flowing princess lines, the full skirt slightly en train. A dainty lace collar in Elizabethan mode topped the fitted bodice, and sleeves were long and pointed over the hands. A full-length veil of illusion net cascaded from an opal coronet, and the bride wore her groom's gift, a necklace of pearls.

Her crescent bouquet held scarlet rose buds. Arthur Burton gave his sister in marriage.

A pleasing combination of autumn tones, golden yellow and pale green respectively, were seen in the similar off-shoulder crepe gowns worn by Miss Helen Fritz, maid of honor, and Miss Lillian Jacklin, bridesmaid. In their hair they wore bands of fresh flowers, and each carried a Colonial bouquet in harmonizing shades.

Miss Lynne Burton, flower girl for her aunt, was frocked in pink taffeta, and carried a Colonial posy.

Brian Calam attended the groom as best man. Ushers were Lorne McLean, brother of the groom, and Sidney Renton.

Mrs. Rae Calam sang "O Perfect Love."

The newlyweds received guests at Strathcona Hotel, where reception rooms were decorated with chrysanthemums and carnations.

Frank Mitchell of Vancouver proposed the toast to the bride. For traveling, Mrs. McLean donned a navy blue topcoat over her Chinese red suit. Her accessories were navy tulle and she wore a gardenia corsage bouquet.

P.T.A. News

Muir Creek—A colorful masquerade party, sponsored by Muir Creek School for children of the district, Halloween games were played and a fireworks display given by the teacher, M. McKinnon, after which pop and candy was distributed and refreshments served.

Oaklands—Regular meeting of Oaklands P.T.A. will be held in the school auditorium on Monday at 8 p.m. Following business, a social evening is planned and refreshments served.

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Of Personal Interest

Canon George Biddle officiated on Sunday afternoon in St. John's Church, at the baptismal service for Carol Ann, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Williams, Howe Street. The baby wore the family christening robes, complemented by an heirloom shawl. Mr. and Mrs. Williams and Mrs. A. F. Flucke were sponsors. Mesdames M. Flucke, P. Trickett, A. Cutt, W. Nutter and L. Roberts assisted in serving tea to 30 guests after the service. Mr. and Mrs. Williams entertained later with a supper party, when covers were laid for 18. Mrs. E. M. Trickett and Mrs. A. Williams assisted the hosts.

Antarctic Fashions

LONDON (CP)—An unusual all-wool cargo of men's clothing will be shipped from London in November. Its destination—the Antarctic. The clothing, for the Norwegian-British-Swedish expedition leaving at the end of this year, has a cheerful variety of colors and patterns to relieve the monotony of Antarctic wastes.

Toastmistresses Welcome New Members

Reasons for joining Victoria Toastmistress Club were expressed Monday evening by seven new members inducted and welcomed by the president, Mrs. Marjory Naysmith. New members were Mesdames Doris Lougheed, Edith Dent, Margaret T. Bell, E. Smith, T. R. Kelly, Misses Helen Simpson and Maud Lochhead.

A diversified program was arranged for the evening. Following the table topic, lead by Mrs. Doris Lougheed, who gave members an opportunity to confess their secret ambitions, the more formal part of the program was conducted by Miss Margaret Harness, toastmistress for the evening, who introduced each speaker in turn. Miss Joyce Dixon and Mrs. Jean Downey each gave five-minute talks entitled "To Make Your Hair Curl" and "Plant Your Garden Today," respectively. Given five minutes for preparation, Miss Helen Greaves presented a very amusing two-minute impromptu talk entitled "My First Swimming Lesson."

Miss Connie Chow's ten-minute address, "Romance Gives Way to Progress," traced the history of the Hope-Princeton Highway from its origin as an obscure trail until its formal opening on Nov. 2 as the last great link in the southern trans-provincial highway of B.C. Miss Maud Lochhead extended a vote of thanks to Miss Chow.

Instruction for the evening was given by Mrs. P. Rayment. Mrs. Marjory Naysmith, critic, complimented the members on the talks given, offering advice as to how each one might improve her presentation. The Oscar for the best performance was awarded to Miss Joyce Dixon, and the spur for achievement to Miss Maud Lochhead, a new member.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. George Calder of Eston, Sask., wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Helen May, to Douglas James Chalkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Chalkin of Toronto, Ont. The wedding to take place in Toronto in the near future.

British Housewives Knitting For Export

LONDON (CP)—Women's Home Industries, a non-profit-making organization, is winning dollars for Britain by finding markets for articles produced by home handicrafts.

These goods have found ready sales in the United States and now, with the help of devaluation, are interesting Canadian buyers.

The goods are stocked in big United States cities from New York to San Francisco. In Washington, active support is given by Lady Franks, wife of British Ambassador Sir Oliver Franks.

Chiefly in demand are knitted items—the finer and flimsier the better. Some cardigan-and-jumper sets have been knitted in one-piece cashmere and there is much delicate two-ply work in lacy stitches.

Best-selling lines have been low-necked evening sweaters, Shetland lace jerseys with little matching scarfs and Shetland shawls.

A heavier sports model for men—a waistcoat knitted in clan tartans—has sold like hotcakes. These, and the bold-patterned Fair Isle sweaters, are finding an even readier market when they come in two sizes—one for dad and one for junior.

One Fifth Avenue store which devoted a window display to these, sold out its stocks in a half-hour. Movie actor Douglas Fairbanks Jr. has helped to set a fashion for these brightly-patterned sweaters.

Babies' layettes of high quality also sell well, the fine cashmeres holding front markets.

The only disappointing lines have been quilting and needlework. The quilting is found too similar to that produced by United States countrywomen and the needlework is hampered by a high import duty.



Newlyweds Now In New Home

The former June Margaret Robinson, now Mrs. Donald Evan Hawthorne, is pictured following her marriage in St. Mark's Church. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Roland Robinson, Glanford Avenue, and her husband's parents are Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hawthorne, Stewart Avenue, View Royal. The newlyweds are making their home at 1349 Grant Street.—(Photo by Leonard Holmes)

Your Baby And Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

A BABY NEEDS "BABY" FOODS

It's wonderful that babies are being treated to so much nutrition early in life and wonderful for a mother to have the sense to know when enough is enough and even a generous diet can be outraged.

Just because a baby can have vegetables, fruits, cereals, cottage cheese, meat, puddings and egg, beginning in some cases, as early as the sixth week, is no reason to assume that there are no limits.

There is a proper way to begin the solid foods and this way should be adhered to. The baby does have to adjust himself to each new food and if this is supplied in teaspoonful amounts the baby will not be too upset by it, or find it too difficult to adjust to it.

So one teaspoonful daily is the amount served in the beginning. That one spoonful is continued for one week. When baby is digesting the food nicely, and eating all the formula or taking his nursing as usual, it is time to try two teaspoonfuls. After the third teaspoonful daily is accomplished the amount may be increased more generously. The portion to be given will be that which the baby takes willingly and after which he can drink just the same amount of formula or enjoy just as lengthy a nursing. If he is less interested in either, it may be assumed that he is getting more solid food than he should have at this particular meal.

Usually, cereal is the first food given; then fruits or vegetables. All of these are more conveniently provided in cans, the cereals well-cooked and easy to serve with just the addition of warm milk, the vegetables and fruits in many varieties and properly sieved for easy digestion.

Meat, finely sieved, is also marketed in cans. Each kind of meat (veal, beef, pork, liver and lamb) needs to be started in teaspoonful amounts and continued for one week. The mother may find that the baby will reject one of the meats and if so this one may be omitted and the ones well taken may be retained in the diet.

One teaspoonful of hard-cooked egg yolk is a proper amount with which to start, and long cooking makes it easier to digest. The child who has an allergy toward egg will react unhappily even to this.

Babies need simple foods, with mild flavorings so that they will learn to enjoy the taste of the foods themselves. And remember, even if this sounds like a full diet the baby is still not ready to eat candy, at a tender age, or taste spoonfuls of adult foods with a high fat content and strong seasonings, even if he can chew and swallow them. A baby needs "baby" foods, however wide their variety.

Our leaflet No. 22 "Formulas and Early Feeding," take the baby up to one year of age and may be had by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request to Myrtle Meyer Eldred in care of this newspaper.

One of the best molded salads we've tasted in a long time went together like this. Golden canned cling peach slices were molded into a fresh lemon gelatin along with sliced pimiento-stuffed California green olives and crisp slivers of roasted almonds.



Convenes Bazaar

Mrs. Harold Beckwith is general convener of the annual fall bazaar and tea sponsored by Post No. 3, Native Daughters of B.C., in the Hard of Hearing Hall Saturday afternoon, commencing at 3.30. There will be stalls of needlework and home cooking and afternoon tea will be served.

Boiling Water Tests Fidelity

SALISBURY, South Africa—(CP)—A native who was charged in the Salisbury criminal sessions under the Witchcraft Suppression Act is alleged to have told his wife to put her hands into boiling water to prove whether or not she had a lover. The native, Mgadua, pleaded not guilty.

His wife, Kangaya, said she put her hands three times into a pot of boiling water because her husband told her to do so. He said that if her hands were badly scalded it would mean that she had a lover. She suffered great pain and the next day there were blisters on her hands. Mgadua then assaulted her continuously, so she complained to the police. The man was remanded.

Girl's Tiny Purse Bequest To Church

GREENWICH, Kent, England (CP)—Just before she died, an orphaned, almost blind 18-year-old girl asked that all the money she had should be given to her parish church. The bequest totaled 2s 6d (38 cents).

"It is one of the greatest and most humbling gifts we have ever received," said the vicar, Rev. S. H. Heaton-Shaw.

Molded salads are a boon to hostesses who are chief cook and bottle washer too. Here's a beauty that's delicious as well. Dissolve a package of lemon-flavored gelatin in hot apricot whole fruit nectar. When it's slightly thickened stir in cut-up fruits and mold.

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A Man's World Even In Kitchen

LONDON (CP)—The better chefs, it seems, cook at home, too.

The newly-formed National Academy of Chefs de Cuisine had a reception recently, when it inaugurated its British Chefs' School, modeled on the lines of France's Societe Culinaire Francaise.

Formed only three months ago, its membership already embraces 200 chefs, 200 assistant chefs and 100 honorary members.

A reporter at the reception wanted to find out whether the married chefs ate their wives' cooking. Most said they did—but only one day a week when they "didn't mind" having a day off "and letting the wife have a go."

But the academy's vice-president, Alphonse Cadier, chef of London's Bronx Hotel, was one of three to hold out for self-cooked meals. "What? Let my wife cook for me? Oh, no, monsieur, that would never do," he reported.

Today's Recipe

Autumn Vegetables

OTTAWA (CP)—If she likes experimenting with little-known foods, the housewife these days will find temptation lurking around every vegetable-stall in the town market.

Chinese cabbage is appearing in quantity along with broccoli, egg-plant and leeks. Now that autumn's here, there is no excuse for dull menus.

Leeks, which resemble giant onions, also exude a strong onion odor in cooking. However, they have a most delicate taste.

Home economists of the consumer section, Dominion department of agriculture, suggest serving the white stalks of the leeks as a vegetable, and the green leaves in soup.

The leek stalks should first be cooked in boiling, salted water until tender. They may be served plain with a little melted butter and a sprinkling of chopped parsley with French dressing.

They also make an interesting casserole. Place the boiled leeks in a greased baking-dish with alternate layers of grated cheese. Bake in a hot oven until the cheese has melted.

Leeks also may be braised. The white stalks are cut in even lengths, tied, and boiled in salted water until tender. Then they are fried in butter and seasoned with salt and pepper. A little water or bouillon is added, and the leeks then are covered and cooked slowly until tender (about 40 minutes).

Egg-plant probably is a new vegetable to many city-dwellers. At its best it has a soft, shiny and unblemished purple skin. This is peeled and the eggplant sliced into medium-sized pieces. These may be dipped in beaten egg, rolled in bread-crumbs and fried.

Egg-Plant Casserole

One medium egg-plant, ¼ cup fat, 2 medium onions, thinly sliced, 5 medium tomatoes, peeled and sliced, 1½ cups grated cheese, salt and pepper to taste, 1 cup fine dry bread crumbs or cracker crumbs, 2 tablespoons butter.

Slice egg-plant ½ inch thick. Pare skin thinly, cut slices into ½-inch cubes, making about 6 cups diced egg-plant. Meit the ¼ cup fat and fry the egg-plant slowly for 5 minutes. In greased casserole place alternate layers of egg-plant, onion, tomatoes and 1 cup of the grated cheese. Season each layer with salt and pepper. Mix remaining cheese with the bread crumbs and sprinkle over top of vegetables. Dot with butter. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375 degrees F., until vegetables are tender and top browned, about 1 hour. Yield: Six servings.

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Aldermen Argue Over Choice Of Administrator Or Manager

Although City Council has approved presentation of a city administrator by-law before the electors Dec. 8, there is still a good deal of argument within the council over the respective merits of director of administration and city manager.

The argument arose again Tuesday afternoon after council had finished its regular business and resolved itself into a committee of the whole.

Prime purpose of the committee meeting was to discuss re-phrasing of the first section of the proposed by-law to suit Ald. M. A. Kent who previously had agreed to the by-law on the understanding that at least a suggestion of "city manager" would come into the by-law.

City Solicitor A. J. Patton read a proposed amendment to the first clause which changed it to read in part that the by-law would establish the position of director of administration "who, when appointed, shall manage the day to day business of the city and be responsible to the council as a whole."

Before long, Ald. Kent and Ald. Waldo Skillings were back at their old argument in favor of using the term "city manager."

Mr. Patton's report to the council on the question of security of position which could be offered to a city administrator or to a city manager brought an accusation from Ald. Skillings that the city solicitor had been instructed to recommend in favor of a director of administration.

SECURITY IN POST

Prior to Mr. Patton's report Mayor Percy George, who made the study with the solicitor, said they had come to the conclusion that it was the council's desire to give the official security so that he "can't be thrown out on a whim. We feel there is more security under the administrative plan than the manager plan."

Mr. Patton claimed the city administrator would have far more security under the Municipalities Act than a city manager would have under the could not be dismissed without Municipal Manager Act.

The administrator, he said, just cause. If he was employed on a basis of good conduct and efficiency, then he could not be discharged unless he showed a lack of one or the other, or both, the solicitor explained.

However, he continued, a city manager could be dismissed by a simple majority of the council.

Ald. Kent could not see why a city manager could not have the same security as an administrator by making an agreement of employment with the city before accepting the position.

Later on in the discussion, Mr. Patton again pointed out the security of the administrator under the Municipalities Act as against that of the city manager under the Municipal Manager Act.

"Are you trying to justify a case?" asked Ald. Skillings.

"No, I was instructed to study the report and bring in my findings," replied Mr. Patton.

"I still feel Stevenson and Kellogg would have recommended a city manager if they had not been instructed to recommend a city administrator," said Ald. Skillings.

"Are you asking if I instructed the solicitor?" asked Mayor George. He turned to the city solicitor: "Did I instruct you?"

"No," replied Mr. Patton.

The mayor turned back. "Let's call a spade a spade," he said.

"That's what I like," replied Ald. Skillings.

"I beg of you to drop all suspicions here," said Mayor George. Ald. Kent returned to the question of "city manager" versus "city administrator."

"You're worrying now that the man you get is going to want protection," he said. He argued that if a

city manager was employed he would know what the city wanted, but if a city administrator was asked for "he is going to ask you what you mean."

Mr. Patton said: "We have city administrators all over Canada and that is what Stevenson and Kellogg are working on . . . because they discussed it with me for three hours and I know. They are talking about a city administrator."

"We are the people that did the instructing," said Ald. Williams. "We told the mayor and solicitor to bring in a report."

'NOT BEING SUSPICIOUS'

Ald. Skillings said he was not being suspicious, but argued that the city solicitor was bringing in "all the legal points which aren't worth a snap of the finger," so far as security was concerned.

Ald. Williams said he could see no reason for continuing the argument as the council already had approved the by-law.

"That's one of the penalties of being democratic," said the mayor. "We've tried to add these other words because two aldermen wanted them."

Ald. Skillings continued, arguing that inasmuch as the matter was to be put before the public "let's come out in the open and say we want a city manager."

"I submit again this whole discussion is out of order," said Ald. Williams. "If I were in the chair I would rule them out of order. We've been talking over an hour on something we have already passed."

Ald. Skillings persisted. "Make the issue so clear that people won't be confused on what they are voting on," he said. He claimed "city administrator" was not understood.

Finally, Mayor George called for a vote on the proposed amendment to the first clause of the by-law and it was passed by a majority of the council with Ald. Kent, Ald. Skillings and Ald. Banfield voting against it.

Want Smaller City Council If Administrator Named

City Council Tuesday afternoon endorsed in principle Mayor Percy George's recommendation for passage of a resolution that the council be reduced in number in the event of appointment of a city administrator.

"One question closely connected with the proposal for appointment of a director of administration is that of reducing the number of aldermen," Mayor George said.

"Actually, under the report from Stevenson and Kellogg Ltd., six divisions are suggested for the city's business. Hence, if the number of aldermen were cut from 10 to six, there would be just the right number of committee chairmen for these divisions.

"I feel it is desirable that the members of the council now, well in advance of polling time, indicate for the information of the voters what might be expected on this important issue."

"Accordingly, I respectfully recommend the passing of a resolution to the effect that, in the event of the appointment of a director of administration being approved by the electors, the whole question of reducing the number of aldermen be given full consideration in conjunction with the administrator appointed and thereafter be dealt with as soon as possible by the council."

"It is worth nothing that as a counterbalance to the cost of an administrator, the reducing of the number of aldermen from 10 to six would result in a saving to the city of the indemnity and transportation allowance of

But the argument was not over.

Ald. Williams next wanted to select the words which would go on the ballot. He moved they be: "Are you in favor of a director of administration as outlined in By-Law No. . . as published in the daily press?"

Ald. Skillings wanted to add "Or are you in favor of a city manager?"

"You can't do that to my resolution. You move one of your own," said Ald. Williams.

He asked the mayor to rule Ald. Skillings out of order, but the mayor would not, although he said he felt Ald. Skillings' amendment would simply confuse the people.

"My only reason for making my amendment is because I believe most of the people want a city manager and not a city administrator," said Ald. Skillings.

WANTS TWO BALLOTS

"I agree with Ald. Skillings that the voters should have the right to decide which they want . . . city administrator or city manager . . . but I want two ballots," said Mayor George.

Ald. Skillings withdrew his amendment and put it as a separate motion.

Ald. Williams' motion was voted on first and carried unanimously.

Then came Ald. Skillings' motion: "Are you in favor of a city manager?"

"I been wondering how you're going to count it. You're going to have people voting on both ballots. It's very confusing," said Ald. Williams.

However, possible confusion was avoided when there was a tied vote, which meant defeat of the motion.

Voting for Ald. Skillings' motion were Ald. Skillings, Ald. Banfield, Ald. Kent, Ald. F. J. Mulliner and Mayor George. Opposing it were Ald. Mrs. Margaret Christie, Ald. Dr. J. D. Hunter, Ald. D. D. McTavish, Ald. H. M. Diggon and Ald. Williams.

Traffic Plan Report Goes To Committee

A report by the Town Planning Commission on the proposed traffic control plan for Oak Bay Junction was referred to the public works committee by City Council Tuesday afternoon for consideration.

The commission said its streets and transit committee claimed the plan made too many and too great changes at the outset.

Want Land Rezoned For Commercial Use

Recommendation for rezoning as commercial lots of a number of properties facing on Quadra and Fifth Streets, between Kings Road and Hillside Avenue, was made to City Council Tuesday afternoon by the Victoria Town Planning Commission.

M. Kirkpatrick-Crockett, secretary of the commission, said the area concerned was a growing business district and that the commission felt the rezoning would meet the requirements of the area for the present.

The recommendation was referred to the lands and zoning commission for a report.

City To Take Part In New Drug Plan

City participation in a new provincial government plan to provide drug services to all those in receipt of social assistance was endorsed by City Council Tuesday afternoon following a recommendation by the social welfare committee.

The city now pays for 20 per cent of the cost of the service and the province pays 80 per cent, according to Ald. Mrs. Margaret D. Christie, chairman of the committee. The new plan would mean that, based on Victoria's population as reported in the 1941 census, the city would have to pay approximately seven cents per capita.

Ald. Christie said the service cost the city \$3,198 in 1948, and that \$3,900 was budgeted for this year. The city would be required to pay only \$3,084 under the new plan.

Ask Basic Minimum For Duplex Houses

Consideration by the lands committee and the building inspector of the possibility of setting a minimum basic area of land for each duplex, together with a minimum footage, to ensure "that the amenities of any district be not harmed unduly," was recommended to City Council Tuesday afternoon by the Victoria Town Planning Commission.

The recommendation was referred to the lands and zoning committee.

Set Rental Rates At Fishermen's Wharf

City Council Tuesday afternoon approved a scale of wharfage rental rates for the new Fishermen's Wharf at the foot of Erie Street.

The first 48 hours' use of the wharf is free. After that the daily rates range from 25 cents for vessels not over 25 feet, to 80 cents for vessels over 70 feet and up to 80 feet. There are special rates for vessels over 80 feet. Monthly rates range from \$3 for vessels not over 25 feet, and \$10 for vessels over 70 feet and up to 80 feet.

The weekly rate is five times the daily rate. The charge for filling water tanks during the free 48-hour period is 10 cents.

Nursing Home Fire Hazard Proves Worry To Council

Concern over the lack of facilities for care of the aged and infirm in Victoria was expressed by various members of City Council Tuesday afternoon following a social welfare committee recommendation that the Sisters For the Love of Jesus, St. Gregory-by-the-Sea be refused a license to operate a nursing home because of the hazardous condition of their building.

Ald. Mrs. Margaret Christie, social welfare committee chairman, said the nuns were doing fine work looking after the aged and the infirm but that the hazardous condition of the nursing home made it impossible to recommend granting of the license.

In their report to the committee, both Fire Chief R. T. Brindle and J. W. Oosterink, city building inspector, recommended use of large, old buildings as nursing homes.

On questioning, Fire Chief Brindle said some of the patients at the nursing home were bed-ridden and there was insufficient staff to aid them out in the case of fire, particularly from the second floor.

Mrs. Christie said a license had been applied for by the nursing home about a year ago and the application was turned down for the same reason of fire hazard as at present.

DIFFICULT DECISION

The aldermen found it difficult to decide what to do. They did not want to take action to

force the nursing home to close and yet, as Ald. M. A. Kent said: "By giving them tacit permission to carry on, we make ourselves liable in the event of fire. We know about it now," he continued. "I think the city's responsibility now is to tell them they should close. I would not take the responsibility of voting to let this state of affairs continue there."

Ald. Ed. Williams asked if any recommendations could be made by the building inspector and fire chief for repair of the building to bring it up to requirements.

Fire Chief Brindle said "very major alterations" would have to be made.

Ald. Dr. J. D. Hunter said "I think they should be allowed the opportunity of making these repairs before any action is taken against them."

In answer to Ald. H. M. Diggon, who wanted the welfare committee to present the general problem of the situation for care of the aged and infirm here to the provincial authorities, Ald. Christie said "We are in touch with the provincial government now about getting a new building for the aged and infirm."

The council finally decided to rule that the license for the nursing home should not be granted until alterations were made to bring conditions of the home up to the requirements of the building inspector and the fire chief. The alterations are to be made in 60 days.

Parks Committee To Study Protest

The city's parks committee will study and report to City Council on a protest by Victoria Town Planning Commission against further removal of boulevard trees without giving the commission an opportunity of studying the cases as they arise.

The protest was made to council Tuesday afternoon and the commission noted instructions had been given to remove trees from both Moss Street and Linden Avenue.

Ald. D. D. McTavish, parks committee chairman, said that the committee had taken steps to withhold removal of the trees as the commission had asked but pointed out the proposed removal would only be completion of an earlier policy.

Get New Property

City Council Tuesday afternoon approved a lands committee recommendation to allow the Victoria City Guilds' Association to trade the property at Fairfield Road and Chester Avenue, where it now has its headquarters, for property on the west side of Vancouver Street, between Fort and View Streets.

Approval was given, however, with the provision that the association would assume responsibility for demolition of the condemned buildings now on the association's new property.



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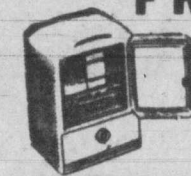
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Saanich Kills Plan To Vote On Amalgamation

Amalgamation of Saanich with the city did not get much beyond the discussion stage at the meeting of Saanich Council before it was voted out of the window, for the umpteenth time.

Councillors W. C. Kersey and Leslie H. Passmore did not say they wanted amalgamation, but desired a plebiscite being put to the people at the Dec. 10 elections asking them if they were in favor of an investigation to explore the possibilities of a union.

They put a motion to that effect. It was soundly beaten. Councillors J. R. Ryan, George Austin, E. P. Cummins and K. R. Genn opposing. Councillor W. E. Bond was not present. If Reeve E. C. Warren had had to vote to decide the question he would have supported the quartette. He made it quite plain once again that he was dead against an amalgamation scheme.

Mr. Kersey started the ball rolling on the subject by pointing out that although the Saanich wards had been wiped out "we still have three wards."

Reeve Warren wanted to know where they were and got the reply "the city, Oak Bay and Esquimalt."

Mr. Kersey said that now that the ward set-up had been killed he could speak his mind on things.

He noted that the revision of Saanich into one single block was more economical and that there was some overlapping of police, fire and other services

in the municipalities in the same way, if not worse, than under the ward system.

In any case the councillor emphasized the question proposed in plebiscite form "will not commit us, but merely ask an expression of opinion."

Mr. Passmore pointed out he had brought up the same subject many times and he did not see why any member of the council should oppose a matter which meant gaining knowledge.

"My reaction to this is that the talk of amalgamation has gone on for years and has been thoroughly aired over the radio and through the press—and if the people wanted it the pressure would have been brought to bear on us a long time ago," declared Reeve Warren.

The reeve said he would have no part of it and that he had no desire to become an instrument for the "high pressure" groups.

Mr. Genn thought it was the duty of Saanich Council not to give their municipality away to the city.

"We are in such a wonderful position now that the ward system has gone the city should amalgamate with Saanich," said Mr. Cummins.

Mr. Ryan, youngest council member, said he couldn't see the amalgamation argument at all.

Nobody was able to say that there had ever been a petition received by the council from a section of Saanich asking for amalgamation with the city. This was asked by Mr. Austin.

The reeve said he had only heard a lot of opposition to it.

Saanich Councillors' Opinions Clash On Housing Referendum

Saanich Council Tuesday night gave introductory reading to a referendum to be put at the Dec. 10 elections asking ratepayers if they are in favor of the council entering into a fixed-taxation agreement with Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation.

This arose over the corporation's plan to build 152 houses on the old Lansdowne airport property on a five-year fixed-taxation agreement. Homes are intended for veterans. Council opposed the plan and decided to let the ratepayers make the decision.

Councillor Leslie H. Passmore, supported by Councillor Kenneth R. Genn, insisted the referendum should read "a five-year agreement for a fixed taxation of not less than the taxes that would have been levied had the houses been built in 1949."

Their motion embracing those words was defeated. They received no support.

Both Mr. Passmore and Mr. Genn insisted that fixed taxation at the 1949 level was what the corporation was willing to pay and that it therefore should be clearly put in the referendum.

Only One Ballot Box In Saanich

Saanich Council Tuesday night turned down the suggestion of Councillor E. P. Cummins that two ballot boxes be established Dec. 10 at polling stations, one for the reeve and councillors' vote and the other for by-laws and referendums.

John B. Tribe, returning officer, was against this. He thought it might result in confusion for the voters and thought it better to have them all dropped in the same box and sorted out afterward. The council backed him. Mr. Cummins said his suggestion was due to the fact that the heaviest list of election issues in the municipality's history is to be put to the voters this year.

Better Phone Service Wanted At Saanich Hall

John B. Tribe, municipal clerk for Saanich, was authorized by the council Tuesday night to take steps to improve the telephone service to and from the municipal hall. He stressed that the switchboard was badly overloaded and was asked to get the price of another in-and-out line.

The police commission, it was indicated, may deal with the matter of improving the telephone service for the police offices. There was some talk of value of a direct line to the police department for emergency calls; other police calls placed through the exchange as at present.

Criticize Doctors Who Delay Compensation Case Reports

Question of a blacklist for doctors, home economics and the state of the family budget were tossed back and forth at the Workmen's Compensation Act inquiry, at the courthouse Tuesday afternoon.

Alfred Bull, K.C., representing the B.C. Loggers' Association and George Home, secretary-treasurer of the B.C. Federation of Labor, proved equally apt at quoting from Chief Justice Gordon McG. Sloan's report on the 1942 inquiry into the Workmen's Compensation Act, during the afternoon examination.

The federation brief had asked for some means of penalizing physicians who fail to submit reports regularly to the Workmen's Compensation Board, thereby causing delay in payments to injured workmen.

"The board has brought some disciplinary action to bear on

doctors who have failed to make reports," said C. K. Guild, K.C., counsel for the board.

TALK OF BLACKLIST

"Was there not at some time talk of a blacklist?" queried Chief Justice Sloan, adding that he did not know what had come of it.

He said he thought there was some talk of placing doctors' names on a blacklist and of men being told not to go to those doctors if they were injured. The number of doctors who failed to make reports regularly, he said, were "fortunately few."

"I think in some cases it has been done in order to force physicians to send reports through faster," commented Mr. Guild.

The question of compensation for injuries as a social principle brought up by Mr. Home, was subject to cross-examination by Mr. Bull who quoted from the Sloan Report of 1942 that the act was not a social measure but one to provide compensation, as a form of insurance against fortuitous injury.

"It is difficult to divorce social security from workmen's compensation," contended Mr. Home, who turned to another page of the 1942 Sloan Report to back up his contention that a social principle first brought the Workmen's Act into being.

INCREASE SOUGHT

Increased compensation was asked on the grounds that payment on the basis of 1942 salaries would not be fair today since wages and the standard of living were higher, Mr. Home said.

The question of how much it costs the head of the house to live provided a lively exchange between Mr. Bull and Mr. Home, with the latter stating that fixed charges such as insurance and clothing for the head of the household would be placed at about \$10 a month on the average.

The federation brief asks for an increase from \$50 to \$100 a month for widows' pensions. Mr. Bull felt that the federation had overlooked the fact that with

Make Armistice Plans

SHAWNIGAN LAKE—Plans to co-operate with the Cobble Hill branch of the Canadian Legion during Remembrance Day service at Cobble Hill Friday were made at a meeting of members of the Malahat branch of the Legion where addresses were given by S. H. Okeil, regional D.V.A. director, and Carl Fallas, president of the Victoria and District Zone Council of the Legion.

Compensation Rate On Accident Record

A reduced assessment for workmen's compensation in plants where a minimum accident rate is found to prevail, was sought by Eric V. Hansen on behalf of the Master Painters' Association, when he appeared before the Workmen's Compensation Act inquiry at the Court House, Tuesday afternoon.

"We are very proud of our low accident rate and think we should get a lower assessment," said Mr. Hansen, "for it gives greater encouragement for efficiency and a still lower accident rate in shops."

The association objected to paying compensation for the time employees were on holiday

the head of the household gone, expenses would not be the same as during his lifetime.

Request by the federation for a new Workmen's Compensation Board office in Vancouver drew from Mr. Guild the fact that the present office had been built as a labor temple.

"The requirements of the two are entirely different," said Mr. Home, who felt the information added strength to his argument. "Nobody would be happier than the W.C.B. people if you could get them a new building," said Mr. Guild with a smile.

On the question of appeals to the board, Mr. Home said there was no other avenue open to an injured workman but to place his appeal before the same people who decided upon his claim in the first place.

on the grounds that the men were not covered and not compensated for that period. "We feel we are paying for something we are not getting," Mr. Hansen told Chief Justice Gordon McG. Sloan, commissioner.

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Garbage Costs To Be Election Issue

In order to have garbage collections disposed of by the city, Saanich home owners will have to pay more for the service in 1950 than they did this year.

First reading was given a referendum at the meeting of Saanich Council Tuesday night which asks if voters are in favor of the \$4 a year charge being increased to \$5 in order that the present service may be maintained.

It was pointed out that the increased cost figure was not yet final, but that it would be by the time the referendum came up for third reading at a future council meeting.

Council earlier this year decided to have collections from the defined "garbage area" disposed of by the city after fears of a health menace had been voiced over the Prospect Lake dumping area.

Saanich had quit using the city garbage disposal plan when the prices were upped and started the dump.

Contractor McNutt has indicated to the council that he can not maintain the service at the \$4 charge this year. He had to absorb the city disposal charge when the dump was abandoned.

"We can't stop collecting garbage. If the people turn down the referendum we'll just have to create another dump to handle the service for \$4," Reeve Warren pointed out.

Council referred to the garbage committee a letter from F. R. Riekk, 2547 Garden Street, to handle the garbage disposal service for 1950 in organized

Seek To Have Keating Cross Road Stretch Widened

As a result of a request from the Saanich Chamber of Commerce, the municipal council Tuesday night decided to see what steps can be taken to have Keating Crossroad widened from the gravel pit to West Saanich Road.

In a letter signed by H. D. Patterson, secretary, the council was told while the stretch from the pit to East Saanich Road was 40 feet, the eastern portion was only 30 feet.

The chamber asked for immediate steps to have the eastern portion width increased to the minimum of 66 feet and that the poles be moved back to enable this. It was stressed that traffic on the crossroad was heavy as it serviced two main arteries.

Council decided to see the property owners involved about donating property to enable the expansion and also to ask the B.C. government if it will undertake 40 per cent of the cost. This is the usual government share in regard to secondary roads, council was informed.

Council agreed to have the telephone poles bordering the narrow stretch painted white to aid night motorists. Its narrowness is considered dangerous.

and unorganized territory for \$132,250.

Tax Sale Land Buyers Pay Up Dec. 15 Or Lose All

People who owe a lot of money to Saanich municipality for tax sale property they bought over two years ago have got until Dec. 15 to pay up or the property will revert back to the municipality.

This was made clear at the meeting of the council Tuesday night when another owner of some of this property asked for more time to pay.

According to municipal clerk John B. Tribe eight persons are involved in delayed payments.

Purchasers pay one-fifth of the price down and have two years to pay the remainder.

Incidentally, if the bills are not paid by the deadline Saanich not only takes the property back but the present holders forfeit any money they have already paid for the same.

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LADYSMITH—Dissatisfaction over lack of detailed figures from Ladysmith School District No. 67 has led to passing of a resolution directed to the Department of Education seeking revision of the Schools Act to permit holding of annual meetings in February so that complete annual reports may be received.

The resolution was passed following the expressions of dissatisfaction by ratepayers attending the annual school attendance area meeting in Diamond School.

A second resolution, passed unanimously, read: "Resolved

that the meeting request the Minister of Education for larger representation on the Board of School Trustees of Ladysmith District No. 67, requesting that a trustee be elected for each of the school attendance areas; Oyster, Crescent, Diamond and Saltair."

Teaches In Okanagan

LADYSMITH—Walter Joyce and Frank Laird are conducting services at the First United Church here in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Dr. M. W. Lees, who is spending two weeks at Naramata in the Okanagan Valley, teaching at the United Church Bible School.

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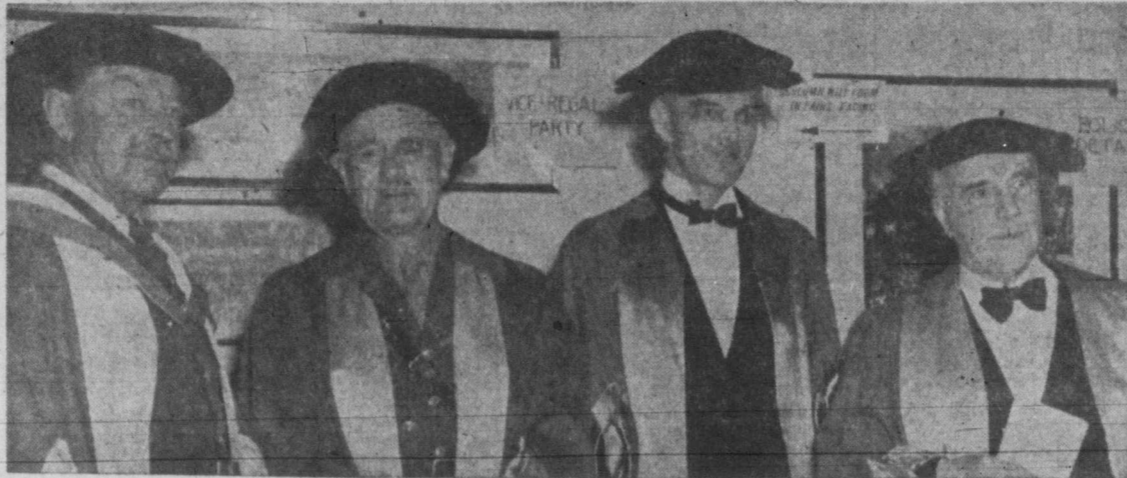
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Japanese-Canadians Elect New Leader

LETHBRIDGE, Alta. (CP)—Harold Hirose of Winnipeg was elected president of the Japanese-Canadian Citizens' Association at the closing session of the third national conference of the group here. He succeeds Tom Shoyama of Toronto. Kar Kabayama of Kamloops, B.C., was named vice-president.

Resolutions dealing with discrimination toward Japanese-Canadians and calling for equal "civil rights" for all Canadians, regardless of racial origin, were unanimously adopted at the closing sessions.

A resolution "vigorously protesting" policies of racial discrimination "actually evident in British Columbia" was also unanimously adopted. It instructs the executive committee to continue to give "constant attention" to programs designed to seek the removal of such discriminatory practices.

The DOCTOR Says:

CONSTANT RECURRING HEADACHES SHOULD BE CAREFULLY EXAMINED

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.

Perhaps more people suffer from headaches than any other common ailment. Although it is true that a headache can be a symptom of some serious disease, more often it is merely a minor though unpleasant ailment which does not last long and from which recovery is complete.

A fairly common type of headache which has not been recognized for very long appears to arise from a relaxation of the blood vessels in or near the brain. In this type of headache the treatment consists of giving some fluid which causes the blood vessels to contract. Indeed, there have been reports of rapid relief from this kind of headache merely by injecting adrenalin into one of the veins. Also favorable reports have been made on the injection into the veins of a substance called sodium nicotinate (not related to the nicotine in tobacco). The underlying cause of this type of headache is difficult to treat and the cause practically unknown, but increasing the fluids, giving special diets, and reducing the amount of salt taken into the body seem to bring about favorable results in some cases.

One of the most important kinds of headache is known as

migraine. As a rule this type of headache is located on one side only. Before it starts the sufferer often has peculiar sensations. In migraine, drugs given just before an attack may stop the condition from full development.

Any severe or frequently recurring headache should not be ignored. When possible the cause should be identified. After this is done the symptoms should be relieved if possible by simple pain-killing drugs like aspirin. The further management of headaches depends on knowing what caused them and taking the appropriate steps to attack the source of the difficulty whenever possible.

Question: What can be done about bow legs for a woman 33 years old?

Answer: There is nothing much that can be done at that age. It is probably the result of rickets in childhood.

Plan New Fire Hall For View Royal

VIEW ROYAL—A total of \$450 has been raised toward cost of a new fire hall and it is hoped the balance of \$300 will be on hand by Nov. 21, it is reported by officers of the View Royal Community Association.

An offer to erect the fire hall if residents raised \$750 for materials was made by Fire Chief A. E. Beasley and members of the View Royal Volunteer Fire Brigade.

The trireme, the galley of the Greeks and Romans with three banks of oars, had a crew of 220—174 of them oarsmen.

Meatlegging Causes Worry In Vancouver

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Vancouver health authorities are worried over the extent of meat bootlegging in the city and district.

Dr. Stewart Murray, chief medical officer, says "meat bootlegging is going on, but it is an extremely hard thing to find and prove."

Dr. Murray says that although meat inspection control has been intensified "a number of sick animals are being slaughtered and taken to some small plants that are avoiding inspection."

\$21,800 Building During October

VIEW ROYAL—A total of 19 permits for construction worth \$21,800 was issued for the regulated areas of View Royal and

North Saanich during October, according to W. R. Cannon, building inspector.

The permits included those for five new homes worth a total of \$18,200, and 14 permits for alterations and additions costing \$3,600.

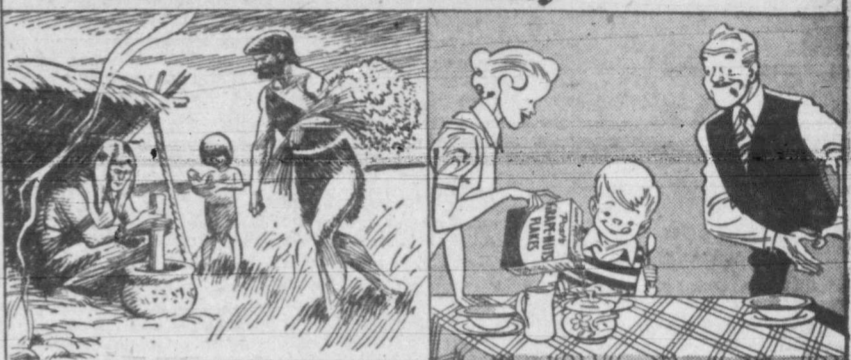
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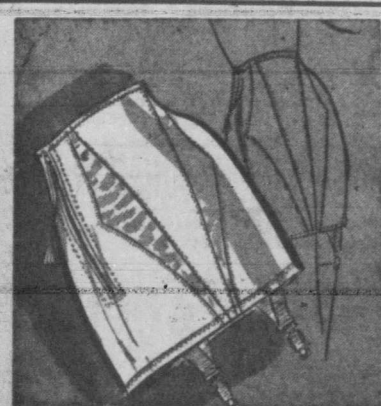
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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

PROMOTER ROCKY BROOKS is considering branching out into the boxing field. Having reached the conclusion that his wrestlers cannot pull their weight with weekly shows Brooks apparently figures he will be better to split up his promotions with pro fight cards. Rocky has the right idea providing he can get the contacts to line up first-class material.

VICTORIA IS STILL a rattling good fight town despite the beating the fans have suffered from fly by the night promoters in recent years. The fight faithful in this city have had some lousy pro bouts foisted on them but still show their interest in the sport by the manner in which they turn out for major amateur shows such as the annual Golden Gloves. Right now the city is ripe for a top notch pro show and the promoter would be assured of breaking the nut.

IT SHOULD NOT be too great a problem to line up a good card with so many good Vancouver boys available. It is a long time since fighters like the Almond brothers, Frank and Stan, and Jeris Jamel have been camped practically on our back door. If Brooks could work out some agreement with the managers of these rising young professionals to get them on his card he would be set. Rocky would even be smart to contact Vancouver promoter Al Principe with a view to getting his advice in arranging the first card.

SCANNING THE NEWEST edition of "Inside the Blue Shirt," Stan Saplin's New York Rangers' annual, one is impressed with the number of former Rangers now engaged in the hockey coaching profession. It is found that there are 12 former Blueshirts currently coaching pro clubs and another seven and perhaps more guiding amateur clubs, not to mention Murray Murdoch, who coaches at Yale University. The pro mentors are: Lynn Patrick in the N.H.L.; Ott Heller, Neil Colville, Bun Cook, Earl Selbert and Leroy Goldworthy in the American Hockey League; Clint Smith and Bill Cook in the United States Hockey League and Babe Pratt, Muzz Patrick, Bill Carse and Dutch Hiller in the Coast League. Among the amateurs, Art Somers coaches Regina Caps of the Western Canada Hockey League, while Kirby MacDonald, Phil Watson and Herb Foster have clubs in the Eastern Amateur League.

ICE SCHEDULE AT THE ARENA

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 9

V.F.C.—6 to 8 a.m.
Cougars—9:30 to 11:30 a.m.
Public Skating—1 to 5 p.m.
Fargo Skating—5:45 to 7:45 p.m.
Public Skating—8 to 10 p.m.

THURSDAY, NOV. 10

Junior Hockey—4 to 8 a.m.
Cougars—9:30 to 11:30 a.m.
Beginners' Session—1 to 2:30 p.m.
Public Skating—3 to 5 p.m.
Pro Wrestling—8:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, NOV. 11

Pro Hockey—7 to 9:30 a.m.
Public Skating—8:30 to 10:30 a.m.
Public Skating—1 to 3 p.m.
Pro Hockey—8:30 p.m.

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Undeclared in league play and exhibitions this year, the strong Victoria High School rep rugby squad faces its first intercity competition Friday with Lord Byng of Vancouver providing the opposition. Game will be played at Macdonald Park, commencing at 3. Two years ago Vic High gained a 3 to 0 victory over the mainlanders. Left to right, back row: Stan Peters, Jim Marshall, Jerry Colison, Buzz Hudson, Pete Zarzy, Dave Riddell; middle row: Joe Andrews, coach; Bill Peterson, Alan Blair, Ron Mooney, Bob Toews, Don Matheson, Gordie Smith, Al Marks, Norm Kowalyk, H. L. Smith, principal; front row: Barry Caviness, George Metcalfe, Dick Prette, Earl Barrons, Bob Clarke, Graham Cox, Cedric Robb.

New Westminster Moves Within Point Of First-Place Seattle

Seattle Ironmen are still setting the pace in the northern division of the Pacific Coast Hockey League but Coach Babe Pratt's New Westminster Royals are camped right on their doorstep. One point separates the two clubs with Royals enjoying a game in hand.

A hat-trick by winger Al Kuntz sparked Vancouver Canucks to a 7 to 2 victory over Seattle in Vancouver. Royals staged a comeback in the last period to earn a 4 to 4 draw with Oakland. It marked the New Westminster club's first game on its tour of the southern division cities.

At Tacoma the Rockets coasted to an easy 5 to 1 win over the last-place Portland Penguins.

LEADERS WIN

San Francisco Shamrocks, leaders of the southern division, avenged themselves last night for their only two losses of the season.

Shamrocks have won 11 of their 13 games, dropping two contests to Fresno Falcons. But last night in their third encounter Shamrocks jumped into a two-goal lead

in the first period and never were headed, winning 4 to 3.

At the other extreme of the southern division list, hapless Los Angeles Monarchs dropped their 12th straight contest 5 to 2 to San Diego.

In the game against Canucks the Ironmen scored their two goals in the first period on markers by Rudy Filion and Pete Kalapaca.

Vancouver scored once in the opening session on an unassisted effort by winger Bob Ballance and took the lead in the second canto on goals by Kuntz and Ballance. Seattle faded badly as Canucks romped home with four unanswered goals in the final session. Bill Shill, Wimpy Jones and Kuntz counted.

PORTLAND-TACOMA
First Period—1, Portland, Hamilton

(Sutherland), 10:55. Penalties: Dalglish, Stroh (2), Mel Andrews.
Second Period—2, Tacoma, Rowe (Read), 5:18; 3, Tacoma, M. Andrews (N. Andrews, Millard), 6:56. No penalties.
Third Period—4, Tacoma, Johnston (Rowe, Read), 2:16; 5, Tacoma, Johnston (Rowe, Read), 3:25; 6, Tacoma, Rowe (Rowe, Johnston), 11:28. Penalties: M. Andrews, Davis.

SEATTLE-VANCOUVER
First Period—1, Seattle, Filion (Kalapaca), 4:35; 2, Seattle, Kalapaca (Filion, Benick), 14:17; 3, Vancouver, Ballance, 18:37. Penalties: Medvanski, 9:17.
Second Period—4, Vancouver, Kuntz (Wilson, Shill), 4:01; 5, Vancouver, Ballance, 9:28. No penalties.
Third Period—5, Vancouver, Shill (Kuntz), 1:59; 1, Vancouver, Kuntz (Shill), 5:17; 2, Vancouver, Jones (Cortez), 11:47; 3, Vancouver, Kuntz, 19:44. No penalties.

NEW WESTMINSTER-OAKLAND
First Period—1, New Westminster, Lavell (Kirk, Slater), 13:35; 2, Oakland, Under (B. Jones, B. Jones), 13:52; 3, Oakland, B. Jones (Marchand), 14:15. No penalties.
Second Period—4, New Westminster, Love (Duffy, Evers), 4:48; 5, Oakland, B. Jones, 8:05. Penalty: Kane.
Third Period—4, Oakland, Nixon, 2:50; 1, New Westminster, Lavell (Valentine), 4:39; 2, New Westminster, Slater (Lavell, Kirk), 12:28. Penalty: Marchand.

Two Backfield Stars Rejoin Stampede

CALGARY (CP)—Two injured backfielders, who scored nearly a third of Calgary Stampede's 270 points during the regular Western Interprovincial Football Union schedule, will see action Friday in the final game for the W.I.F.U. title.

Coach Les Lear announced today that both Vern Graham and Paul Rowe have recovered sufficiently to take the field here against Saskatchewan Roughriders.

Neither Graham nor Rowe got into the game in Regina Saturday when Stampede won 18 to 12 to give them a six-point advantage in the two-game total-point series.

Both suffered injuries at Edmonton Oct. 31, during the last game of the regular W.I.F.U. schedule. Graham suffered a back injury and Rowe came down with a crippled ankle.

MISSED GRAHAM
Stampede missed Graham's place kicking in the Regina contest. For the first time this year the 1948 Dominion champions failed to convert a single touchdown as alternate kickers, with little practice under fire during the regular schedule, took over in place of the league's leading point-maker.

Playing his first season as flying wing for the Stampede, Graham booted 27 converts, seven field goals and added two touchdowns to win the Dave Dry-

Kilburn Continues To Head Scorers In Prairie Hockey

CALGARY (CP)—Colin Kilburn and Steve Latoski of Edmonton Flyers, although inactive for one week, maintained their positions at the top of the Western Canada Senior Hockey League scoring race, it is shown in statistics released by D. P. McDonald, Calgary, league president.

The statistics have Kilburn, sophomore left-winger, leading with 14 points. His 11 goals make him the leader in this department, two ahead of Calgary Stampeder Stan Devien and Cy Thomas of Saskatoon Quakers.

Latoski, veteran pivot who is in second place with 13 points, leads in assists with 10. Eddie Cuts, Flyers' bland rear-guard, still is the "bad man" of the loop with 29 minutes spent in the penalty box. Thomas of Quakers follows with 27 minutes.

Leaders follow:

Player	Goals	Assists	Points	Penalty Minutes
Kilburn, Edmonton	11	3	14	10
Latowski, Edmonton	10	3	13	10
Devien, Calgary	9	4	13	10
Thomas, Saskatoon	8	4	12	10
Slater, Calgary	7	5	12	10
McDonald, Calgary	6	6	12	10
Regina	5	7	12	10
Edmonton	4	8	12	10
Calgary	3	9	12	10
Saskatoon	2	10	12	10

MINOR LACROSSE
All members of the Blue Bombers and pee wee lacrosse club and Palace News of the bantam division, both island championship squads, are asked to meet at the Arena's Caledonia entrance Thursday afternoon at 3:30 to receive crests. It was announced by Doug Fletcher.

FIVE C'S MEET
Annual dinner of the Five C's Cricket Club will be held tonight at the Mayfair Cafe, Broad Street, commencing at 7. All members are invited to attend.

Canadian Owners Taken

Buy Cast-off English Racers

WINNIPEG (CP)—The poor record of English breeding and racing stock in this country is the fault of selling practices of English breeders, Lord Anthony Lindsay-Hogg said last night. The organization chief of the famous Anglo-Irish Breeding Agency said in an interview breeders "unloaded" stock that failed to make the grade in England on Canadian buyers.

Sir Anthony is on a tour of Canadian and American racing centres. He said his visit is the "real beginning" of the firm's Canadian operations.

Here following a tour of east-

ISSUES WARNING

Speaking of the Canadian racing picture, Sir Anthony warned that it may be heading into a "stormy" period. The balance between frankly-commercial interests and horsemen interested in improvement of the breed must be carefully watched.

Top-flight management, the attraction of genuinely-interested persons in the breeding field, and "some cohesive force" to bind the industry together are essential. Otherwise, operators on a short-term profit basis may bring it into public disrepute.

Action Keynote As Commercial Hockey Clubs Usher In Season

Hilltops On Way To Coast For Title Tilt With Bombers

SASKATOON (CP)—Saskatoon Hilltops were on their way to Vancouver to defend their western Canada junior football crown in a sudden-death final against the vaunted Blue Bombers.

Full of confidence despite advance notices of Bombers' terrific power, Hilltops feel they always play better when posted as "underdogs." Reports indicate the Saskatoon club will be on the short end of the betting when the two teams clash on Remembrance Day.

After sweeping through for their third consecutive Saskatchewan provincial crown, Hilltops faced Winnipeg's Weston Wildcats, Manitoba champions, in a two-game, home-and-home western semi-final series. Wildcats, favored to upset the Hilltops could only gain a 1 to 1 tie over a field of mud in the first game at Winnipeg despite having a big pull in weight. At Saskatoon, the speedy Hilltops turned on the pressure and walloped Weston 22 to 1, leaving little doubt they are a team that will take lots of beating.

There are no particular stars on the Hilltops roster, and Coach Bob Arn relies on good teamwork and speed to carry them through. The backfield is light but shifty; the line not exceptionally big, but solid.

If any standouts are possible, one might mention two flashy backs, Wayne Anderson and Keith Peberdy, or guard Dusty Woodcock, team captain.

Notre Dame Still Blankets College Football Ratings

NEW YORK (AP)—Notre Dame so completely dominates the top 10 college football ratings that even losing to the Irish moves a club up the ladder.

Michigan State, a shadowy 10th last week, hopped to eighth in the sixth weekly Associated Press roundup in which 163 sports writers and sportscasters participated.

There were no shake-ups in the ratings with Notre Dame still way out front on 137 of the 163 first-place votes. That amounts to roughly 84 per cent of the ballots, about the same as it has been running for weeks.

The Irish took over the lead from Michigan on the second week of the poll, and opened up a wide gap in the third week.

ARMY RUNNER-UP

Back of Notre Dame lies Army, Oklahoma, California and Michigan in that order, just the same as last week. Cornell moved up a step to sixth and Rice advanced from eighth to seventh.

Minnesota and Virginia are the only newcomers, displacing beaten Baylor, which lost its first game to Texas A and M and Southern Methodist, held to a surprising 27 to 27 tie by Texas Aggies.

The Minnesota Gophers 55 to 7 romp over supposedly strong Iowa gave them a big lift, and Virginia's convincing 26 to 14 decision over Penn lifted the unbeaten Cavaliers into the top 10.

Notre Dame apparently lost little prestige in yielding three touchdowns to Michigan State, two in the final minutes. Instead the voters figured the Spartans tougher than expected because they held the Irish to a 34 to 21 victory.

Neutral Linesman For Senior Soccer

At a meeting of the Victoria and District Soccer League last night, the length of the league schedule was left in abeyance, secretary Don Gray announced today.

It was decided, however, that games would be scheduled until the end of the year. A decision will be reached at the next meeting, to take place early in December.

Tommy Carson, vice-president of the association, handed in his resignation, due to pressure of business, and Percy P. Payne, well known in local soccer circles, was unanimously elected to fill the position.

Members of the referees association were in attendance at the meeting and it was decided to secure neutral linesmen for all matches.

Stockton, Calif. — Johnny Ehan, 126, Honolulu, stopped Mike Bernas, 125, San Francisco, 5-

Brooklyn Dodgers After Raffensberger

BROOKLYN (AP)—Brooklyn Dodgers are going all out for the one man they believe will help them win not only the 1950 National League pennant but the world series as well. The man is southpaw pitcher Ken Raffensberger of Cincinnati Reds.

Raffensberger, working both as a starter and reliever last season, won 18 games and lost 17 for the seventh-place Reds.

Hockey Standings

COAST LEAGUE									
Northern Division									
	W	L	T	P	A	Pts			
Seattle	10	3	3	66	60	23			
N. Westminster	9	2	4	79	47	22			
VICTORIA	8	7	0	63	71	16			
Tacoma	6	8	2	61	64	14			
Vancouver	5	7	3	70	66	13			
Portland	5	10	1	54	66	11			
Southern Division									
San Francisco	11	2	0	55	34	22			
Oakland	6	4	2	31	33	14			
San Diego	6	6	0	35	38	12			
Fresno	3	8	1	35	39	7			
Los Angeles	1	13	0	38	69	2			



Official opening ceremonies of the newly-formed Victoria Commercial Hockey League were held at the start of the second engagement of the three-game opening card between Navy and Coach Lines. Capt. H. F. Pullen, R.C.N., drops puck as league president Don Huckle looks on. Face-off is between Ed Varga of Coach Lines, right, and Navy's Steve Harris.

Three-Day Week-end For Soccer Clubs

With none of the four leading clubs scheduled to meet each other in the Victoria and District Soccer League over the three-day week-end schedule, the leaders will either have a chance to tighten up the standings or remain in their present positions.

On Remembrance Day, Duncan Native Sons, currently tied with Navy for third position, two points behind the leading Esquimalt and Legion elevens, will engage Oak Bay. Game will be played at Athletic Park, commencing at 2:30.

Two tilts are billed on Saturday. Wests will tackle Esquimalt at Athletic Park and the Navy will match kicks with the winless Alcos at Colville Road. Both tilts start at 2:30.

Fourth week-end match will be played at Athletic Park on Sunday, bringing together Canadian Legion and Heaneys at 2:30.

Honolulu — Reuben Smith, 118½, Los Angeles, stopped David Kul Kong Young, 121, Honolulu, 8.

neat effort, and five minutes later, Dozols notched losers' second and last score of the game.

Hallam added the clincher for the Servants when he blasted home Mason's pass at 16:20.

GAIN EARLY LEAD

The second fixture was marked by rough play throughout with neither squad giving an inch.

Navy took advantage of defensive lapses on the part of Coach Lines to move into a 2 to 0 first-period lead on goals by Norm Nelson and Del Brown.

Ed Varga scored the first of his two tallies for Coach Lines at 4:40 of the second period when he snapped up coach Vic Feesey's pass and went in to beat goalie Norm Jones with a well-labbed shot.

Nelson regained blue-jacket's two-goal margin four minutes later when he blasted home "George" McMorris' pass, and Harry Harris wound up the second period goal-making at 14:20 on a double relay from Bob Sheppard and Dave Allen to reduce the margin to 3 to 2.

George Withers of Navy and Sheppard were each thumbed off for five minutes for fighting in the second period.

Squads went all-out in the fast

Quinn of the Hotelmen were thumbed off for fighting.

SUMMARIES

CIVIL SERVICE-R.O.P.
First Period—1, Civil Service, Ray Ball (Vic Morris, George Bentham), 12:15. Penalty: P. Dozols.
Second Period—3, Civil Service, Rod Hallam, 2:27; 5, R.O.P., Dozols, 4:35; 6, Civil Service, R. Hallam (M. Mason), 16:20. Penalties: G. Keata, H. Rhodes, H. Brown, T. Hewittson.

NAVY-COACH LINES
First Period—1, Navy, Norm Nelson, 7:08; 2, Navy, Delmar Brown (Harry Mitchell), 13:16. Penalties: Dutch Kramo, Bob Field, Ed Varga.
Second Period—3, Coach Lines, Varga (Vic Feesey), 4:40; 4, Navy, Nelson George McMorris, 8:52; 5, Coach Lines, Harry Harris (Bob Sheppard, Dave Allen), 14:30. Penalties: George Withers (Mason), Sheppard (major), Allen.

Third Period—6, Coach Lines, Norm Nelson, 2:38; 7, Navy, Brown, 13:55; 8, Coach Lines, Varga (LaCree), 17:35. Penalties: Withers, Kramo, Mitchell (misconduct), Les Oberg (major).

DOUGLAS TIRE-HOTELMEN
First Period—1, Douglas Tire, Elphick (Reynolds), 5:17. Penalties: Garnet, 17:18.
Second Period—2, Douglas Tire, Herland (Reynolds), 4:48; 3, Douglas Tire, Grant (Reynolds), 11:30. Penalties: Elphick, Duncan.
Third Period—4, Douglas Tire, Collins (McKellian), 2:21. Penalties: Reynolds (minor and major), Quinn (major).

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Victoria Athletics To Open Play At Spokane

Victoria Athletics will open their 1950 W.I.L. campaign at Spokane on April 18, it was announced today by Reg Patterson, business manager of the local club, who returned today from the annual meeting of the league directors in Salem.

April 18 is the date set for the official league openers, and the A's first home tilt is billed on April 25 with Salem providing the opposition. Salem has undergone a change in ownership, Patterson announced.

It was decided at the meeting to disband the Shaughnessy playoff system, inaugurated for the first time this year. League officials are also seeking to cut down on the number of double-headers scheduled.

Final league games are billed on Sept. 10. Patterson also disclosed the league has adopted a new rookie rule. Each club must carry two rookies and five limited service players.

Patterson also announced he is negotiating with Paul Kruger, a 22-year-old rookie catcher. If signed Kruger will be making his debut in pro ball. He is a native of Oregon.

Winnipeg Scribe Charges W.I.F.U. With Operating 'Bush' League

By DAVE CROSS
WINNIPEG (CP) — Calgary Stampede of the Western Interprovincial Football Union won Dominion honors last year, but is the league "big time" in Canadian pigskin circles or is it just another "bush" league?

Tony (Winnipeg Tribune) Alton says many people agree that it is big time. But he contends, in many respects "it is still run along bush league lines."

And to support his theory he starts punching holes in the league management — the "slipshodness" of trophy awards and the all-too-frequent attitude of "Let George Do It" among the league's upper brass.

He names the winners of the most valuable player award in 1946, 1947 and 1948, then asks "Shouldn't they be announcing the winner one of these days?"

"Has the league a championship trophy? If it has, we've never heard of it. Or is that what the 'Piffles' Taylor trophy is for?"

Referring back to the player award, he calls that a hurried, last-minute poll of sports writers was conducted last year in time to make the award to Keith Spith before Calgary went east. "Spith, as it happened, was the obvious choice. . . . But the selectors had no opportunity to

give the ballot serious consideration.

BIG FOUR SOUNDER

"The Big Four has its Jeff Russell trophy, which is awarded annually to the player who, in the opinion of officials and governors of the league, best combines sportsmanship with playing ability."

"That award is handled in much sounder fashion. The players of each team record their choices by ballot, and two selections from each team are forwarded to league headquarters. . . . The final choice is made by league officials."

"We don't know whether or not the league officially recognizes the annual all-star team selected by the Canadian Press. If it does, some recognition is due the players in the form of miniature footballs or medals."

He takes a crack at the fact that there are no official records of which team ran up the highest score, the longest winning streak, most yards gained in one game, and the most passes completed.

"If football has become a big-time sport in the west, it's about time it was conducted in a big-time manner—even if it means spending a little money."

Juzda Headed For New Face-Lifting Record

Burly Bill Juzda, a better-than-average rear-guard, is getting plenty of souvenirs while toiling for Toronto Maple Leafs. He's got 25 facial stitches to show for his work.

The 28-year-old defenceman, who tips the scales at 195 pounds, has been kicking around the National Hockey League for years, but it appears that he is in for a real carving-up this season. There's still 60 games of the 70-game schedule to go, too.

But Juzda, a product of Winnipeg who spent most of his time with New York Rangers before he came to the Leafs last year, is familiar with those operations.

Although he escaped uncut last season, he received a total of 26 stitches the previous year while playing for the Rangers.

He'll get a brief respite to night. The Leafs won't see action.

In the two scheduled games—Montreal Canadiens at New York and Chicago Black Hawks at Boston Bruins—a new leader cannot be produced although the leading Detroit Red Wings are idle.

If Dick Irvin's Canadiens gain a victory tonight it will give them 12 points, one point behind the second-place Leafs and three behind the Red Wings. Chicago

is in fourth place with eight points and Boston and New York are tied with seven points in the six-team loop.

CRY FOR HELP

Meanwhile, there's a cry for help in the New York camp.

Manager Frank Boucher, at least half satisfied by seeing his boys halve a 3 to 3 contest with the Leafs last week, was a thoroughly upset after the 7 to 0 shellacking they took from Detroit Sunday.

"Looks like we'll have to try to get some help—and fast—to improve our attack," he said.

As a result Johnny Denis of Montreal was called up from the Rangers' American League farm club, New Haven Ramblers yesterday. Denis is tied for third place in the league's individual scoring race with 16 points on six goals and 10 assists.

An uninitiated spectator behind the W & L bench then sang out: "That seems downright unfair of the coach. The team marches all the way up the field with the ball and just because they make one little mistake, he takes them all out of the ball game."

QUOTE, UNQUOTE

Branch Rickey, "Duke" Snider is better than he was last spring and will be continuously better, but he is not great yet. He's got a distance to go."

Tanforan Results

SAN MATEO, Calif. — Results of horse racing Tuesday at the Tanforan track follow:

First Race—
Double Best (Moreno) \$6.00 \$2.80 \$2.80
Sulley Time (Westrop) 16.20 1.70
Telatam (Pearson) 3.10
Scratched: War Vlatie, Biefair, Wise Kay, Lady Aliz.

Second Race—
My Sea (Pearson) \$6.70 \$2.00 \$2.40
Charbon (Cardelli) 2.10 2.20
Scratched: Lena G.

Third Race—
Sir Yankee (Pearson) \$35.70 \$14.20 \$7.80
Sea Glory (Shoenaker) 3.70 2.40
High Rise (Laswell) 2.40
Scratched: Featherly Fly, Mugsy, Rastidebank, Crystal Air.

Fourth Race—
Barbed Heels (Ransom) \$55.90 \$30.50 \$17.40
Cricks (Westrop) 6.50 2.30
Vest's Bandit (Mathews) 8.00
Scratched: Primus W. Fire Away, Porco, Pigeon Route.

Fifth Race—
Flash Point (Domenech) \$7.20 \$4.50 \$3.10
High Alert (Vlatie) 9.00 3.10
Wild Kate (Laswell) 2.90
Scratched: Art Gallery, Northland, Sir. Hare Sir.

Sixth Race—
Rockstone (Shoenaker) \$10.00 \$6.10 \$4.10
On To Victory (Mugger) 10.50 8.00
Pop Pop (Zurbrugg) 8.00

Seventh Race—
Lawful (Moreno) \$4.50 \$3.20 \$2.80
Out House (Westrop) 2.50
Admirals Mate (Laswell) 2.50

Eighth Race—
Trust Me (Laswell) \$4.00 \$2.50 \$2.50
San Luis (Westrop) 3.40 2.60
Red Count (Shoenaker) 2.80
Scratched: Play Park.

Broadcasts Tonight



ART CHAPMAN
Art Chapman, well-known basketball star, and professional coach and a popular Victoria life underwriter, will speak tonight over CJVI at 9.50. The title of his talk is "Good Sportsmanship Pays Dividends." Hear the message of this outstanding athlete.

ON WRESTLING CARD—One of the feature bouts on tomorrow night's wrestling card at the Memorial Arena, will see George Dusette, above, 190-pounder from Montreal, battle Leo Karlenko. The show will feature a triple main event, with the first bout starting at 8.30.

Central Gains Tie For Prep Cage Lead

In a clean, fast contest at the Central Junior High gym yesterday, the home squad moved into a first-place deadlock with Victoria High Reds by nudging Esquimalt, 29 to 24, in an Inter-High Junior Basketball League fixture.

Game started out on the slow side, with winners taking a narrow 2 to 1 lead at the end of the first quarter, but play speeded up during the second canto, and Central High left the floor with a 14 to 11 bulge at the intermission.

Esquimalt outplayed the city school in the third period and sliced the margin to a single point going into the finale. Winners began to hit their stride again, however, and built up their five-point victory margin.

Ted Saunders played a sound game for the dockyarders, nudging up 10 points, while Eddie Lou paced Central with seven.

Teams and scores follow:
Central—Stewart 2, Worth 3, Lou 7, Lowe 2, Harrison 5, Mars 2, Fillion 4, Ash 4, Crabbe, Zarry, Esquimalt—Ross 6, Saunders 10, Bethel, Hancock, Sirocks, Plestering, Robertson 1, Holten 2, Doherty, Bennett 5, Dobbie.

Hockey Scores

U.S.H.L.
Tulsa 1, Omaha 8.
A.H.L.
Providence 3, St. Louis 8.
W.C.J.H.L.
Calgary 5, Medicine Hat 7.
THUNDER-BAY JUNIOR
Fort William Canadiens 6, Port Arthur Juniors 5.
CAPE BRETON SENIOR
Sydney 2, Glace Bay 3.
MARITIME SENIOR
Halifax 5, Moncton 1.
QUEBEC SENIOR
Quebec 6, Chicoutimi 5.
QUEBEC JUNIOR
Three Rivers 3, Montreal 4.
O.H.A. SENIOR
Hamilton 3, Kitchener 0.
Toronto 5, Owen Sound 4.
O.H.A. JUNIOR
St. Catharines 3, Guelph 5.
EASTERN CANADA SENIOR
North Bay 4, Cornwall 8.

Students-Fletchers In Hoop Feature

Chinese Students and Fletcher's Men's Wear of the senior B men's loop will battle in tonight's feature of the three-game Victoria and District Basketball League card at the Victoria High gym tonight, commencing at 9.

Preliminaries will pit together K.V. Lions and K.V. Tigers, "midget boys" squads, in the opener at 7, with Moose and the Victoria High School girls' aggregations clashing an hour later.

TIDES			
Nov.	Time	ft. h.m.	ft. h.m.
10	12.33	10.0	
11	6.22	1.0	14.27 8.0
12	1.07	2.3	11.40 9.4
13	1.56	3.1	11.46 9.1
14	2.48	3.5	11.58 8.9
15	3.41	4.3	12.07 8.7
16	4.29	5.0	12.16 8.5
17	5.13	5.3	12.24 8.3
18	5.44	5.0	12.31 8.1
19	6.02	4.1	12.36 7.9
20	6.59	3.8	12.40 7.7
21	7.56	3.4	12.43 7.5
22	8.53	3.0	12.45 7.3
23	9.50	2.6	12.46 7.1
24	10.47	2.1	12.46 6.9
25	11.43	1.6	12.45 6.7
26	12.39	1.1	12.43 6.5
27	1.47	0.5	12.40 6.3
28	2.54	0.0	12.36 6.1
29	3.59	0.5	12.31 5.9
30	4.57	1.1	12.25 5.7

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Medicine Hat Regains Lead In Junior Ice League

MEDICINE HAT, Alta. (CP)—First place in the Western Canadian Junior Hockey League has changed tenants so often since the season began that it has been virtually impossible to go out on the limb for any one team. Medicine Hat, Tigers, Moose Jaw Canucks and Lethbridge Native Sons all have been in and out of the position.

But Tigers, the most persistent of the trio, are back at the helm again as a result of their 7 to 5 triumph over Calgary Buffaloes at Medicine Hat last night. The Bengals hold a one-point margin over Canucks and a three-point lead over Native Sons. Buffs are fourth.

Tigers took a 2 to 0 lead in the first period and held the edge throughout to hand the Calgarians their fourth straight setback on their current disastrous road trip.

With his team trailing 6 to 5 in the last minute, Buff coach Fred Hergert went after the equalizer by pulling his goalie and throwing six forwards into the fray. But Tigers propelled a puck into the empty net with two seconds remaining.

Bob Holmes paced the Medicine Hat attack with two goals.

Heath-Rainiers Reach No Agreement

SEATTLE (AP) — Outfielder Jeff Heath talked things over with Seattle Rainiers Tuesday, but it was briefly and not to the point.

He chinned with Torchy Torrance, club vice-president. Both said they didn't get around to talking terms. Big Jeff wants another crack at the majors.

"I still think I can help some big league club, particularly one that needs reserve outfield help and a pinch-hitter, although I figure I still can play every day," Heath said.

Bowling Scores

GIBSON'S BOWLADROME
SENIOR TENPIN LEAGUE
Smiley Ben's—W. Coates 529, A. St. Martin 522, D. Hays 544, W. Holmes 505, J. Leatham 440. Totals: 845, 845, 847, 844.
Bowladrome—C. Steele 505, J. Bacon 481, R. Chapman 466, low score 419, Fred Wehr 472, E. Murray 531, A. Squire 519, R. Beck 548. Totals: 823, 823, 928, 894.
Toggerly Shon—J. Howell 470, J. Ferguson 506, R. Sparks 523, G. Cliff 570, R. Wilson 553. Totals: 863, 846, 923, 2,632.
Watson's Men's Wear—A. Palmer 509, W. Johnston 525, W. Locke 435, K. Mum 526, R. Barnes 522. Totals: 896, 897, 891, 3,274.
Watson's won two.
Strathcona Cafe—C. Dixon 508, R. McArthur 472, E. Murray 531, A. Squire 519, R. Beck 548. Totals: 823, 823, 928, 894.
Stubbs—R. Patterson 522, A. DeGiralamo 416, P. Stewart 509, M. Mares 556, R. Paulding 525. Totals: 841, 814, 854, 2,605.
Stubbs won two.

Vic West Bowlers Name New Officers

Members of the Victoria West Lawn Bowling Club re-elected Mrs. E. Pearce president of the organization at the annual meeting held recently. Mrs. B. Jenkins was named vice-president.

Other officers elected were Mrs. V. Lyall, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. H. Baker, social convener; Mrs. F. and Mrs. Edwards, sick committee; Mrs. F. and Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Hiquet and Mrs. Thomas, executive. Named as delegates to the Greater Victoria Women's Lawn Bowling Association were Mrs. F. and Mrs. Hiquet and Mrs. Pearce.

Shotton With New Contract Has High Hopes For Dodgers In 1950

NEW YORK (UP)—Brooklyn's Burt Shotton was armed with a new 1950 managerial contract today plus a dozen assorted reasons why his Dodgers will win the pennant again next year.

Shotton, who commuted by plane from Barton, Fla., to Brooklyn yesterday for the purpose of hearing his re-hirement, declared without reservation: "We have a good ball club, and with added experience and confidence, I think we will win again next year."

Dodger president Branch Rickey immediately seconded Shotton's all-out motion, which appeared to be all the urging Burt needed.

"The same club we had this year," continued Shotton, "can win the pennant next year. There probably are plans to improve the team, but it doesn't need much as it stands now."

Vancouver Team Holds Bowling Mark

VANCOUVER (CP)—Official 10-pin bowling records, unearthed last night, show that a Windsor, Ont., team isn't the holder of the Canadian three-game record.

High score rolled in the Vancouver area belongs to a team playing under the name of Chapman's, which rolled a three-game total of 3,276 in Vancouver Feb. 21, 1931. Individual game totals were 1,060, 1,118 and 1,098.

The Windsor squad Saturday, led by Ted Tyrrell, rolled a three-game total of 3,013.

Services College To Meet Vikings

Victoria College Vikings will be gunning for their sixth straight victory in the first division of the Victoria Rugby Union loop on Saturday when they tackle the Canadian Services College at Macdonald Park, commencing at 2.30.

The Collegians second division entry will also see action at the same location when they stack up against Fifth Regiment on the lower pitch, also at 2.30. In another second division match, Oak Bay Wanderers will tangle with Canadian Services College at Windsor Park.

"Not only that," said Shotton, warming up, "but I think we can win the world series, too."

Asked whether Brooklyn was intent on acquiring a 20-game winner, Shotton shot back, "we don't need one. We found that out this year when we won without one."

NEED MOUND HELP

The Brooklyn pilot said, however, he would like to have "one more pitcher," to which Rickey added, "it wouldn't hurt to have another relief pitcher, too."

Rickey made it plain that he was well satisfied with the present pitching staff. Speaking of his hurlers, he said: "I can see it as a very great staff five or six years from now if you want to wait that long."

Saying nothing, Shotton lowered his gaze, indicating he wasn't inclined to wait that long.

Briefly replaying the 1949 world series which Brooklyn lost to the New York Yankees in five games, the grey-haired, sun-tanned Shotton declared the "only upset" he suffered in the series was when he found out the injured Preacher Roe couldn't pitch the fifth game.

"I certainly planned to pitch Roe that day," Shotton commented dryly. "He beat them once before and I thought he could do it again."

Shotton's signing, of course, was the big business of the Dodgers' agenda. But the club also announced that infielder Hank Schenz had been sold to the Pittsburgh "Pirates" for an undisclosed sum. Schenz, formerly with the Chicago Cubs, batted .345 for St. Paul last year.

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Arena Ice-Making Test Off Commission Members Rule

The 24-hour ice-making test, originally scheduled to be made at the Victoria Memorial Arena by C. T. Hamilton, consulting engineer, is off indefinitely, it was announced today by Richard Field, arena commission member.

Plans for the test were made following Mr. Hamilton's claim that he could produce ice within 24 hours with present arena equipment. He disputed the claim of arena manager Joe Dutkowski that ice could not be made in less than 36 to 48 hours.

Tuesday, it appeared that Mr. Hamilton would be able to make the test when Ald. Ed Williams said the consulting engineer had agreed to come to Victoria to supervise ice replacement following a variety show at the arena for the benefit of the Minor Hockey Association on the night of Nov. 23.

However, Mr. Field said the commission had held a meeting at the arena Tuesday night and that, due to the inability of the commission to satisfy adequately the demands of the skating public for use of the arena for skating and hockey activities, the commissioners had decided it would not be opportune to arrange for removal of the ice for the variety show, so the show had been canceled.

Mr. Field pointed out the

arena was being kept in operation from 6 in the morning to midnight each day to satisfy the demands of Victoria's skating public.

However, Mr. Field added that, despite the commission's decision, full support would be given at a later date to any activities arranged to raise funds for the Minor Hockey Association.

His Ear Wasn't Tuned For Pipes

A man who never had heard bagpipes before paid a visit to the Royal Hamilton Light Infantry in the armory at Hamilton, Ont., recently and decided, after the unit's pipe band had performed for him, that a few pipers can make a "devil of a lot of noise."

And that is about all Alfred C. Duarte, a Cuban visiting Canada, had to say after listening to the music that has stirred thousands of Scots, and Scottish-Canadians to deeds of valor in war.

A guest of Lt.-Col. W. I. Drynan, officer commanding the R.H.L.I. at one of the unit's weekly parades, Duarte said: "the bagpipes have good rhythm but it only takes a few of them to make a devil of a lot of noise."

Armistice Service In Esquimalt Park To Be Held Friday

Representatives of the navy, army, municipal council and 12 organizations will take part in the Armistice Day service to be held Friday morning at the war memorial in Esquimalt Memorial Park.

The service is being arranged by the Esquimalt Branch, Canadian Legion.

Rev. H. H. Creal will deliver prayers and Chaplain B. A. Pegler, R.C.N., will give the address. Rev. F. R. Dredge will read the benediction.

A gun crew of sailors will fire a gun at 11 o'clock to mark the commencement of the two-minute period of silence. Last Post and Reveille will be sounded by Bugler E. Perry, R.C.N. Music will be provided by the Canadian Scottish Brass Band, led by H. J. Bigsby.

Wreaths will be placed on the war memorial by Capt. B. R. Spencer, R.C.N.; Maj. A. M. Clark, R.C.A.; Reeve A. J. Thomas, municipality of Esquimalt; J. L. Fairweather, Esquimalt Legion; W. H. Dalloway, Naval Veterans, Branch 42; Mrs. C. L. Madill, Esquimalt Legion ladies' auxiliary; Mrs. M. McDuff, Esquimalt Women's Institute; Mrs. J. Corby, Esquimalt I.O.O.F.; Mrs. R. McVie, Esquimalt Community Club.

W. Rodgers, Esquimalt Parent Teacher Association; Miss Judy Slade, Esquimalt girl guides and cubs; Mrs. H. C. Pelley, Princess Patricia Regiment; T. Carson, Colville Community Club; Mrs. A. Dodd, Jill Tars Association, and disabled veterans from the D.V.A. Hospital.

Following the park service, a march past of service men will be taken by Capt. H. Kingsley, R.C.N., from a reviewing stand in front of the Municipal Hall.

Mayor To Sneak On City Administrator

Mayor Percy George, addressing the annual meeting of the Victoria West Community Centre Thursday evening, will speak on the advantages of a director of administration for the city.

Ald. C. F. Banfield, president of the community centre, said the meeting would be held at the Victoria West School, beginning at 8, when Mayor George would give his address. The public is invited to hear the mayor, Ald. Banfield said.

In addition to the address, members of the community centre will hear annual reports and make plans for winter activities.

The Next-of-Kin Association will hold a meeting and card party at Prince Robert House, Nov. 17, at 8.

Victoria and District Cornish Association will meet at the home of Mrs. M. S. White, 1616 Fairfield Road, Saturday evening.

Argues Cabarets Exempt Under Amusement By-Law

The submission that the city of Victoria has no provision in its Places of Amusement By-law to regulate cabarets and that therefore they are exempt from any regulation, was presented by James J. Proudfoot, lawyer, today in city police court.

Mr. Proudfoot's argument, presented in writing, was in the case of Monty Montaine, who has been charged with unlawfully conducting a dance at the Sirocco after the hour of Saturday midnight on Aug. 21 under the City Amusement By-law. The plea was not guilty.

Case was remanded to one week when Claude L. Harrison, city prosecutor, will present his argument.

Counsel for Montaine said that although the city had the power to regulate dance halls and cabarets it has only given itself power to regulate dance halls.

"The defendant admits that dancing was permitted between the hour of midnight to 1 Sunday morning," said Mr. Proudfoot, "but the defendant submits, firstly, that the by-law is invalid."

Counsel pointed out that Section 5 of the by-law in question "purports to public morals and therefore is dealing with the Criminal Law and, as such, is ultra vires of the city of Victoria."

SAYS DISTINCTION RECOGNIZED
In his six-page argument, Mr. Proudfoot said the premises at 1037 View Street was conducted

as a cabaret and not a dance hall and that this distinction was recognized by the licensing inspector of the city.

"The license is issued to 'Sirocco Cabaret' and the 'Island Cabaret' and the city recognizes 1037 View Street as a cabaret by the amount of license fee," the brief continued.

Counsel said a public dance hall pays a \$5 license fee every six months, but that the Sirocco pays \$25 every six months.

"The distinction between the two is recognized by the province under the Amusement Tax Act. A public dance hall pays a 5 per cent amusement tax, whereas a cabaret pays a 25 per cent tax, as the Sirocco does," Mr. Proudfoot claimed.

The defence also submitted that various municipalities recognize the difference between dance halls and cabarets and draw by-laws accordingly. He quoted the Vancouver by-laws on the subject.

Therefore, the defence submits, there is a true distinction and that the City of Victoria has failed to deal specifically with cabarets and, as a result, cabarets are exempt," Mr. Proudfoot claimed.

Magistrate H. C. Hall said he had read the brief and noted the distinction drawn between dance halls and cabarets.

"If it is conceded by the city that this is a cabaret and not a dance hall, there will be no need to call evidence," Magistrate Hall commented.

Better Management Of City Is Aim Of Ald. M. A. Kent

Better city management is the platform of Ald. Aubrey Kent who has expressed his willingness to run for the office of mayor under the banner of the Civic Non-Partisan League.

The mayoralty candidate said: "The citizens of Victoria two years ago were generous enough to elect me to the council at the head of the polls. It was an honor which I appreciated and recognized."

"In view of this confidence, which I hope has not been diminished by my actions on the council, I have signified my willingness to run for the office of mayor under the banner of the Non-Partisan League," Mr. Kent said.

"My decision is not taken lightly, hurriedly, or without some concern as to my own business," he continued. "I have felt and been so urged by many citizens that some change and some choice would be welcome to many people."

"My platform is a simple one which I have advocated for some time, namely, better city management."

"I have no other aspiration than to be of service if the electors see fit to honor me with their support."

To Measure Current For Barrel Contest

Capt. Ron Newell, harbor-master, will take measurements of the tides at spots along the Gorge waterway Monday morning. It was announced today by Lee Hallberg of the Lions Club.

Purpose of the test is to determine the height and velocity of the tides at the Gorge on Nov. 14, which are comparable to the tides in the evening of July 4, the date set for the Victoria Lions Club barrel guessing contest to be held in 1950.

Measurements will likely eliminate much of the guesswork in connection with the affair, as the competitors will be able to work out a close estimate on the knowledge of the length of the course and the velocity of the current.

Tickets will go on sale across the Dominion in December.

Early Frosts Cut Alfalfa Seed Crops

B.C. agriculture department officials, who at this time every year begin totalling up the value of harvests and farm productions, reported today that alfalfa seed production was showing a substantial loss this year because of early frosts in the Peace River district.

Alsike and Timothy seed crops in the Peace River district have also been hard hit, officials said.

The Peace River district usually produces about 600,000 pounds of alfalfa seed. This year it is reported the crop will not exceed 250,000 pounds, although the acreage was reported similar to last year.

Twelve Alarms Give Firemen Busy Time As Storm Rages

Victoria city firemen were almost continually on the go from 5.28 in the evening through until 10.33 responding to 12 alarms, chiefly for chimney fires caused by heavily-stoked home fires.

Esquimalt firemen did not get a call. Oak Bay responded to a beach fire and a Penzance Street chimney blaze. Saanich firemen attended chimney fires at 1926 Forrester Street and another at Seymour and Saanich Roads. Prompt response of fire-fighters kept damage down to a minimum.

First city alarm was for a chimney blaze at 217 Linden. Next was a fire in a wastepaper basket in the Forestry Department at the Parliament Buildings which damaged a desk. Alarms for chimney blazes followed at 1400 Fairfield Road, 728 Hillside Avenue and 1539 Richmond Road.

Next calls, at 8.06, was for a stump blaze at Fairfield Road and Earle Street. Four chimney fire alarms came after that. Scenes were 617 Figgard Street, 446 Cook Street, 1448 Westall Road and 2550 Scott Street.

A rubbish blaze at 10.33 wound up the firemen's five-hour session of action. There were no alarms for the rest of the night.

Officers Elected By Horticulturists



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Officers elected by the Victoria Horticultural Society for 1950 are as follows: President, Ken Robinson; vice-president, W. J. Pynn; secretary-treasurer, Jack G. Beasly. Executive committee (elected)—W. L. Arnall, Mrs. C. Freeborn, A. Gray, Mrs. G. A. Winter, A. Johnstone, J. Ritz, G. A. Winter, W. Wainwright, P. M. Rayner and Miss M. Hamer.

On executive—Immediate Past President Alex. Main; life-member, F. E. Boulter; life-member, D. D. McTavish.

Patrons—Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Charles A. Banks; Hon. president, Mayor Percy E. George. Auditors—C. Wilson and H. P. Howell.

Minnie Found Not Guilty Of Theft By Assize Jury

An Assize Court jury Tuesday found Edward James Minnie Jr. not guilty of stealing insulated cable from the B.C. Telephone Company at the firm's pole yard on Arlorsier Road, Saanich, last August. Minnie was released from custody following a three-day trial held before Mr. Justice James M. Coady.

Minnie's alibi at the trial was that he was eating lunch in a Chinatown restaurant at the time the Crown alleged the cable was stolen from the firm's yard. His evidence was confirmed by several defence witnesses.

Mr. Justice Coady in his charge to the jury said there was no direct evidence against Minnie.

P. J. Sinnott, counsel for Minnie, claimed police were wrong in proceeding with the case when they had no evidence against his client. He pointed out the onus was on the Crown to prove its case against the accused.

Vancouver Island Rabbit Breeders' Association will meet at Prince Robert House on Friday at 8.

Displays Arranged For Book Week Here

Special displays of books in the Provincial Library and the main rotunda of the Parliament Buildings are being arranged for the celebration of National Book Week, Nov. 12 to 19, it was learned today.

In the rotunda the Public Library Commission will exhibit sample boxes of books such as are sent to outlying communities and schools, along with books which have received special awards and samples of books sent to private citizens by the open shelf division of the commission.

The Parent-Teacher Association will also have a display of books in the rotunda.

Lady Alexander is scheduled to open National Book Week on Saturday with a radio broadcast. To mark the end of the book week a puppet show will be held in the Provincial Museum under the direction of Miss Ann Miller, director of the elementary correspondence school for the provincial education department.

City Council Tuesday afternoon approved sale of eight city-owned lots for a total of \$2,592. Included was sale of two lots on which the Kings Road Scout Hall stands, and it was pointed out that the city loses all control, either direct or indirect, of the land which in the past provided some difficulties when the Victoria Girls' Pipe Band claimed a right to use it.

Wants Ice Test Made Before Dec. 8

Although the 24-hour ice-making test, originally scheduled for Nov. 23 at Victoria's Memorial Arena is off indefinitely, Ald. Ed. Williams, chairman of the city's arena committee, is determined to try to see the test made before he leaves City Council at the end of this year.

"I'm going to try and insist it be done before I go out of office," he said this morning after telephoning C. T. Hamilton, arena consulting engineer, to tell him the test had been canceled.

In the face of claims by arena manager Joe Dutkowski that ice cannot be made in less than 36 to 48 hours with present equipment, Mr. Hamilton has claimed he can get it made within 24 hours.

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Rummage and Home-Cooking Sale, Hard of Hearing Hall, under auspices W.A. Victoria Lions' Youth Band, Saturday, Nov. 12, 9 a.m.

Rummage Sale, Hawthorne Circle of King's Daughters, Saturday, Nov. 12, 9.30. Next to Royal Theatre, 819 Broughton Street.

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21 Chileans Hurt In Red Celebration

SANTIAGO, Chile (UP)—Police said today 21 persons were wounded in police clashes with alleged Communist demonstrators attempting to celebrate the 32nd anniversary of the Russian revolution in Santiago.

A communique on the fighting said those wounded included eight policemen and at least 13 civilians. Unofficial reports said at least 100 demonstrators were arrested.

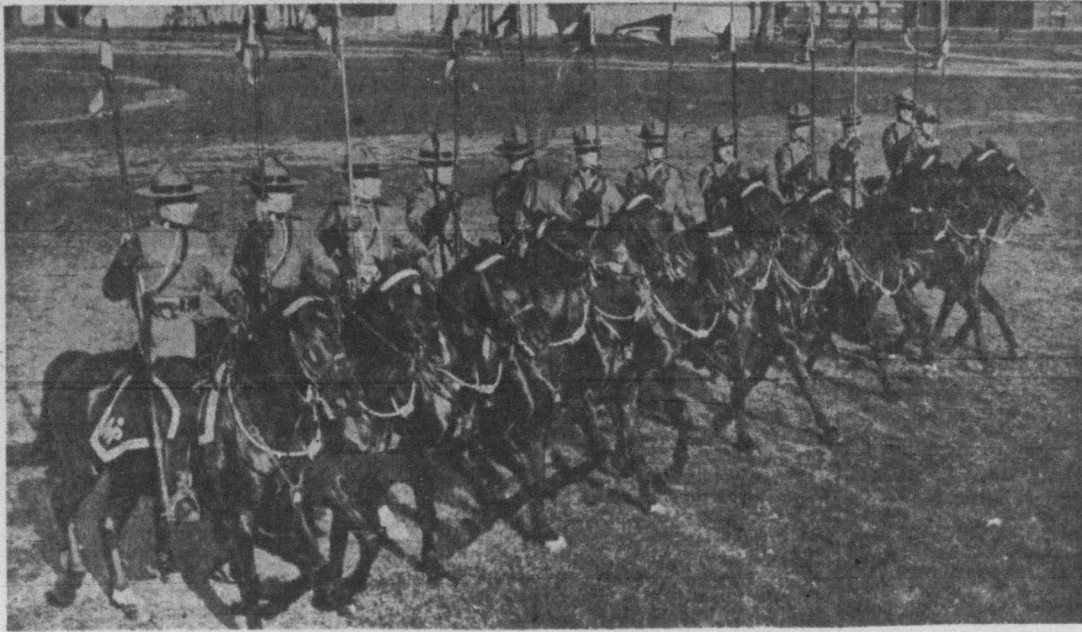
The fighting broke out Monday night during student celebrations of the spring festival in Ahumada Street, the main thoroughfare in downtown Santiago.

Police said 500 Communist marchers swarmed into Ahumada Street from a side street and shouted insults against President Gabriel Gonzalez Videla.

Historic Adornment

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MOUNTIES TO DISPLAY FORM AT WINTER FAIR—Perfect form is shown by these Royal Canadian Mounted Police members as they drill for musical ride, which will again be a feature of the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, Toronto, Nov. 15-23. Every recruit to the force must receive equitation training, has to become proficient enough to ride without using stirrups or reins. These men are experts.—(SNS Photo)

Canada's Atom Committee Told Britain Co-operating

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's relations with the United Kingdom in the atomic field are "very intimate," a Commons committee was told Tuesday, but there is not the same degree of close contact with the United States because of an American law which prohibits it.

Dr. C. J. Mackenzie, chairman of the Atomic Energy Control Board, touched briefly on ex-

changes of information and men in his first full appearance on the witness stand before Parliament's first atomic committee.

He said most of Britain's key atomic scientists have worked at the Chalk River, Ont., project at the time or another. The current relationship with the U.S., ruled by a 1946 law, is not based on any unwillingness by Canada to co-operate, he said.

He told the committee: "Germany's failure to produce an atom bomb was one of the 'extraordinary' features of the recent war, but it was fear of what she was doing which spurred development of the bomb by the Allies."

"All we know about Russia is that there has been a nuclear explosion. . . . We don't know whether it's a bomb, but I don't know that there can be any question about it."

In the 321 days of the Berlin blockade, the western airlift delivered 1,588,293 tons of cargo into the city in 196,031 flights.

Canada, Russia Resuming Social Diplomatic Status

OTTAWA (BUP)—Diplomatic Row today discussed the apparent resumption of social relations between Canada and Russia for the first time since the 1945 espionage trial.

Prime Minister St. Laurent broke the ice Monday night by attending the formal reception held at the Russian Embassy to commemorate the 32nd anniversary of the founding of the Soviet Republic.

In January, 1946, after weeks of intensive investigations, the Canadian government carried out its round-up of Russian agents in the Canadian civil service, and the succession of Soviet espionage trials ensued.

Since some months before that sensational episode, down to Monday night, no Canadian head of state has accepted the hospitality of the Russian Embassy here.

Mr. St. Laurent arrived shortly

after 7.30 alone. He was warmly greeted by Charge d'Affaires M. Degtiar and Madame Degtiar. He toured the residence with the chief Tass correspondent in Canada, S. Scherbatsky.

The Prime Minister chatted with news correspondents invited to the party, most exclusive of its kind in Ottawa. "This is really a magnificent place for a pleasant party of this kind," he remarked.



NEXT BEST THING—An unidentified ex-Nazi glider pilot prepares to launch his model airplane in a contest in the French sector of Berlin. Since all flying activities are prohibited to Germans, many ex-almen join the youngsters in model plane competition.

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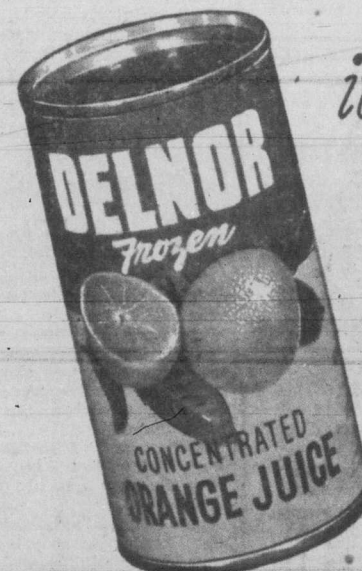
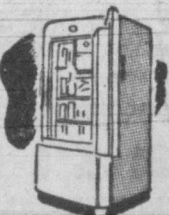


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PARKSVILLE — This year's Mount Arrowsmith Canadian Legion branch Poppy Saturday sales exceeded those of 1948.

Drive was under leadership of William Dunbar, chairman of the Poppy Fund committee. Other committee members are: J. Twidale and Walter Barnum, Parksville; J. Booth, Errington; S. Jennings, Coombs; Mrs. A. Hobby, Nanose, and J. Mather, Hilliers. Sales will continue until Remembrance Day.

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PRINCE CHARLES TAKES A STROLL—Saying "bye bye" to the cameraman, Prince Charles, young son of Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh, smiles and gives a happy wave. Nurse is taking him for a ride before Clarence House. Princess' pet dog, "Shandy" is being led behind.

Say Nothing New In Pope's Charge On Civil Divorce

ROME (BUP)—Vatican sources insisted today there was nothing new in the Pope's advice to Roman Catholic jurists to avoid hearing divorce cases involving marriages recognized by the Church.

They were interpreting statements made by the Pontiff Monday in a 4,500-word speech to delegates to the First National Congress of the Italian Catholic Jurists' Union.

The sources explained that the Pope assured the jurists they would not be in the wrong in granting a divorce if the case could not be transferred to another judge.

"The Pope has simply repeated regulations which have existed in the Church for years," the Vatican informants said. They added that his reference to divorce should not be considered an order to Catholic jurists to refuse to act in divorce cases.

The Pope spoke at Castel Gandolfo, his summer residence, and the official text was released Monday by the Vatican.

RESPONSIBILITY
He said that while Catholic judges must assume moral responsibility for the laws they administer, in some circumstances they must enforce "so regarded unjust laws" in order to "impede a much greater evil."

"In particular the Catholic jurist cannot pronounce, if not for motives of great moment, a sentence of civil divorce for a matrimony valid before God and the Church," the Pope said at one point in his speech.

"He must not forget that such a sentence in practice does not touch only civil effects but in reality leads rather to the erroneous consideration that the present bond is broken and the new is valid and obligatory."

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The greatest city in ancient Greece was Athens, and the people who lived there paid special honor to a goddess. The goddess was Athena, and she was supposed to watch over the city.

No one knows when the first settlement was made in the Athens area, but there are remains which seem to have been left by people of the Late Stone Age. The remains include tools and weapons of polished stone, found on the Acropolis.

The Acropolis is a hill inside the city of Athens. Since it was easy to defend, it was chosen as a living place in early times.

The "true Greeks" probably reached Athens between 2,800 and 3,000 years ago. They were the ones who gave worship to Athena, and built temples in her honor.

The name "Acropolis" grew from Greek words meaning "Top of the City," or "Height City." It was, indeed, the highest part of Athens, and is the highest part today.

Roughly oblong in shape, the Acropolis had three steep sides and one side was a gentle slope. The hill served as a fortress in time of war, but in time of peace a great deal of building went on around it. Thousands of Athenians set up homes on the lower levels nearby. Walls were built around the larger city.

One edge of Athens was only three miles from the sea. Carls were used to haul goods from the city to the coast, where a settlement called Piraeus grew up. Walls were built to guard the route from Athens to the sea during warfare.

The soldiers of Athens were brave, and the Athenian fleet was strong, but the city won its fame because of something else than war. The greatness of Athens was found in the skill of her sculptors and builders, and

in the brilliant men (including Socrates, Plato and Aristotle) who lived there.

The Acropolis later became a centre of temples instead of a fortress. One temple which rose there was the Parthenon, and I shall describe it next time.

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Says \$18,000 Lost; Police Check Story

VANCOUVER (BUP)—Vancouver city police said today they were checking the story of a man who claimed to have lost \$18,000 of his savings.

Police said a man who identified himself as John Cherney, owner of a tungsten mine near Barkerville, B.C., told them he had lost \$17,000 in cash, an \$850 diamond ring, and five gold nuggets and a wrist watch valued at \$150.

Detectives quoted Cherney as saying he had accumulated the small fortune "working in my tungsten mine" and had come to Vancouver six weeks ago. He said he missed his money and valuables Saturday. Police said Cherney told them he had started drinking in Vancouver Nov. 1.

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Yes, in Cutting, as in Tailoring, custom standards apply to every Forsyth Shirt. That is why Forsyth Shirts are so comfortable in fit... so free and easy at chest and shoulders... so full where fullness counts much... so smart and shape-retaining through a long life. You'll be proud to wear a Forsyth Shirt.

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The "Men's Wear" Oscar was awarded to John Forsyth Limited by Men's Wear dealers all over Canada for "the best creative styling job in the men's furnishing field".

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Sumptuous — yet so Simple!
Jell-O Marmalade Bavarian

1 package Orange Jell-O
1 1/2 cups hot water
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup heavy cream
1/2 cup orange marmalade

Dissolve Jell-O in hot water. Add salt. Chill until slightly thickened. Fold in cream, whipped only until thick and shiny, but not stiff. Fold in marmalade. Turn into mould. Chill until firm. Unmould. Garnish with additional whipped cream, if desired. Makes 6 servings.

Pretty as a picture — and even more delightful to eat than they are to look at — fresh-flavored Jell-O desserts are delicious enough to make a grand occasion of the simplest meal. And Jell-O desserts are so thrifty, too.

It's easy to understand why Jell-O is fresher flavored — so much more enjoyable. For when you buy Jell-O Jelly Powders, you enjoy the advantages of over 2 generations' experience in making jelly powders that folks like better. Seven wonderful "locked-in" flavors. Serve a Jell-O dessert — or a Jell-O salad — tomorrow. Jell-O is a trade-mark owned by General Foods, Limited.

So Fresh and Flavorful!
Jell-O Grapefruit-Grape Jewel

1 package Raspberry Jell-O
2 1/2 cups hot water
3/4 cup drained grapefruit segments
3/4 cup seedless green grapes

Dissolve Jell-O in hot water (or use juice drained from grapefruit, with water to make 2 1/2 cups). Chill. When slightly thickened, add grapefruit and grapes. Turn into dessert glasses and chill. Makes 6 servings.



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1st Shipap, \$35.00.
1st Tongue and Groove, random length, \$35.00.
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2nd Cedar S.S. No. 3 Common and better, \$24.00.
2nd Cedar Shipap, \$35.00.
1st S.S. Sanded, \$45.00.
2nd S.S. Sanded, random length, \$25.00.
Rough, Thin Boards, \$15.00.

Buy from us. You won't be sorry. We sell lumber from best of logs in our own mill and not reject and even give away what other mills don't give away. We specialize in shipping, dimensioning, joists, rafters, studs, posts, beams, sills, etc. Best grades, cheapest prices and quickest delivery service in town.

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Premium Grade Resawn Shipap, grades No. 2's. All fir and well machined. Equally as good value as No. 3's, which sell at \$45.00, but a special purchase enables us to offer this at \$35.00 per M.

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50 ft. Picket Fence, complete with nails, only \$14.50.
50 ft. Picket Fence, complete with nails, \$17.50.
50 ft. Solid Board Fence, complete with heavy posts and nails, \$25.00.
Also any style and pattern of Fence made up to your order at no extra cost.
1st and 2nd Fence Pickets in cedar, which last longer, cut to any length and pointed, from 4 1/2" each.

FLOORING SPECIAL

1st Floor Oak Flooring, good average lengths 12 ft. and 16 ft. and 20 ft. and 24 ft. and 30 ft. and 36 ft. and 42 ft. and 48 ft. and 54 ft. and 60 ft. and 66 ft. and 72 ft. and 78 ft. and 84 ft. and 90 ft. and 96 ft. and 102 ft. and 108 ft. and 114 ft. and 120 ft. and 126 ft. and 132 ft. and 138 ft. and 144 ft. and 150 ft. and 156 ft. and 162 ft. and 168 ft. and 174 ft. and 180 ft. and 186 ft. and 192 ft. and 198 ft. and 204 ft. and 210 ft. and 216 ft. and 222 ft. and 228 ft. and 234 ft. and 240 ft. and 246 ft. and 252 ft. and 258 ft. and 264 ft. and 270 ft. and 276 ft. and 282 ft. and 288 ft. and 294 ft. and 300 ft. and 306 ft. and 312 ft. and 318 ft. and 324 ft. and 330 ft. and 336 ft. and 342 ft. and 348 ft. and 354 ft. and 360 ft. and 366 ft. and 372 ft. and 378 ft. and 384 ft. and 390 ft. and 396 ft. and 402 ft. and 408 ft. and 414 ft. and 420 ft. and 426 ft. and 432 ft. and 438 ft. and 444 ft. and 450 ft. and 456 ft. and 462 ft. and 468 ft. and 474 ft. and 480 ft. and 486 ft. and 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Winch, Farris Bandy Words On 'Why We Need Lawyers'

Two past masters in the art of scintillating repartee parried with their usual skill at the inquiry into the B.C. Workmen's Compensation Act currently featured at the courthouse.

They were Senator J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., and C.C.F. Leader of the Opposition Harold E. Winch.

At one point the legislator remarked that acts were open to many interpretations.

"That is why we have lawyers," he said, smiling at Senator Farris.

"We need lawyers to unravel the ambiguities of legislators," countered the senator.

"... which are drawn up by lawyers," said Winch.

"Oh, no," said the white-haired veteran of many a legal bout. "I've seen many a committee when the lawyers did not have much to say at all."

That's "30" for today, folks.

Machines Paying No Money Not Gambling Device

A pin-ball machine which only offers free games for scores made and does not pay money to winners cannot be regarded as a gambling device.

Magistrate H. C. Hall agreed with this contention by W. C. Moresby, barrister and solicitor, in a case in city police court today when two such machines were picked up by city police in a Saturday night raid at a Chinatown address. Mr. Moresby, representing the Victoria Novelty Co., quoted a section of the Criminal Code to support his contention.

This came up in the case of Mary Lum, 745 Fisgard Street, who pleaded guilty to unlawfully keeping a common gaming house at the Fisgard address. She was fined \$50.

While Magistrate Hall authorized the return of the pin-ball machines to Mary Lum, he ordered a slot machine—otherwise known as a "One-armed bandit"—found in the rear of the premises to be confiscated and destroyed.

Const. Albert Wells said he fed 21 nickels to the machine before he got a return. The return was five nickels.

Const. Wells said the pin-ball machines gave free games but paid no money.

Sgt. Thomas Banister led the raid squad.

Members of the Victoria Electric Club provided their own entertainment at their meeting Tuesday in the Strathcona Hotel.

Names of members were put in a hat and 10 were drawn to give two-minute impromptu speeches on topics drawn from another hat. Subjects ranged from "How to Cure a Cold" to "What I Know About Penguins."

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Underwater Interview Tells Of Conditions 40 Feet Down

By JIM McKEACHIE

It has been said reporters are busy people, and thus it was that when a photographer and I went to Ogdan Point dock today to interview George J. Knight, Nanaimo diver, and found him 40 feet underwater, we decided to get the interview anyway.

George and his father, Joseph Knight, are currently engaged in repairing cracks in the cement caissons enclosing the docksite.

We went to the two-way intercom set on the diving barge and got permission to chat with George.

STAND WELL BACK

The tender, William Bymen, Departure Bay, told the diver what we wanted, and the reply came back, "O.K., but tell him to stand back from the loudspeaker." (The loudspeaker also serves as the microphone).

"Can you hear me all right, George?" I inquired.

"Is that the newspaper fella?" he answered.

"Yes. How are you hearing me?"

I was speaking in a normal conversational tone, and pronouncing my words as clearly as possible. Apparently a voice booms somewhat and is hard to make out in the metal diving helmet.

"I can hear you O.K.—but stand back just a little from the machine," George instructed.

Moving back a foot till I was about three feet from the loudspeaker, I asked, "how deep down are you?"

"About 40 feet."

"What are you doing and how is the light?" I inquired.

"The light is not bad, it is fairly dark. I'm driving wedges into these cracks in the concrete so we can fill them," the 38-year-old diver replied.

NO OCTOPUSES AROUND

"Are there any octopuses around today?" I asked, recalling that they were often found in cracks in sea walls.

"None around here just now—I thing the blast of fresh water we shot down here to clean out loose dirt scared them away—they don't like fresh water, you know," George said.

"Well, thanks, George—this saves a lot of time for us since we don't have to wait till you come up—and it's nearly my

lunch time, you know," I laughed.

"Say, that's right—stick around. I'll be up in a couple of minutes," came the reply.

It took less than a minute for the tender to pull the six-foot-five diver to the surface. The latter climbed up a ladder and the tender removed the helmet to reveal a beaming, blond-headed man with a red knitted skull cap on.

He was not cold, since inside the canvas outer suit he wore long underwear and a thick sweater. He looked a veritable giant with the 20-pound lead boots on which added four inches to his height.

A veteran of 19 years diving, George takes it all in his stride. His father has been in the business 45 years, and said today he had seen the tentacles of an octopus in at least one crack, but it had not bothered him.

"If they do grab you, you just stand still and they'll let go of the bottom, then the tender pulls you to the surface and they have a go at him," was the off-hand way the 67-year-old diver described what he would do if any of the eight-armed creatures decided they wanted privacy.

Here is George J. Knight just after his helmet had been removed, when he came to the surface for lunch following an interview from 40 feet underwater at Ogdan Point. At right is William Bymen,

REFUGE

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By
Mildred Cram
and
Harwood White

THE STORY: A wealthy widow, Mrs. Everson, who believes that an atomic war is impending and with it the destruction of civilization, has determined to become one of the survivors. She is fleeing to "a place of safety" in two gigantic trailers. In her party are the Marchese Dellaacasa, an exiled nobleman; her companion, Rudy, a disgraced movie star, her chauffeur, Victor, a well-educated Filipino, her houseboy, and Mrs. Margaret Malone, a widow, her cook. Mrs. Malone, in her thirties, has been tempted to run away, but she finds herself staying with the party. She learns Mrs. Everson is in love with Rudy, who wants only her money. The Marchese, who plays the flute, is a strangely interesting man who also believes that catastrophe is near. And now the Marchese has just asked Mrs. Malone if her late husband ever called her pretty. Mrs. Malone says that she never looks in a mirror any more. "You should," says the Marchese.

CHAPTER 15

THE MARCHESE began to play again, and Mrs. Malone, flushing, went into the kitchen. She trembled a little because no one called her pretty any more. Was it because she didn't want them to?

She leaned forward, now, and

peered at her reflection in one of the polished aluminum pans that hung over the oven. She saw a woman in her late thirties, with a pert nose, a short upper lip, a pointed chin, hair dark brown, and braided, grey eyes.

"Don't be a fool," she said aloud.

She prepared lunch with an almost violent efficiency. When the mid-day halt came, Victor explained that Mrs. Everson was having a tray with Rudy. Twenty minutes out for lunch.

"We are behind schedule," the Filipino said. "We must push it to make up time."

Another stop was made at sundown and again Victor set a tray for two, carrying it forward to the cab.

"She likes being alone with him," Mrs. Malone said. "She hopes."

Victor shrugged. "We drive all night tonight. So please make the coffee strong!"

DRESSED FOR DINNER

They were in motion again when Mrs. Malone served the Marchese. He had dressed for dinner and was freshly brushed and shaved; she noticed a fragrance of eau de cologne. The candles wavered, the gardenias shivered, the robot record-changer substituted Bach for Prokofiev and Stravinsky for Elgar.

"You are an excellent cook, Malone."

"Thank you, sir."

With dessert, a foaming prune

whip, the Marchese drank a small glass of Benedictine and smoked a cigarette. Mrs. Malone noticed his hands; they were long fingered, large, the wrists slender. Immaculate hands, strong and sensitive. He glanced up and caught her looking at him, and her heart jumped. He smiled but said nothing, and as she cleared the table, he seemed to have forgotten her. The comforting, personal interest of the morning was lost. She felt alone again.

CLIMBED MOUNTAINS

During the night, late, the trailers began to climb a steep mountain road. Mrs. Malone had lived at sea-level for so many years that the sudden altitude awakened her to a feeling of pressure and deafness in her ears.

She swallowed to overcome it, and conscious of a rapid pulse, got out of bed and went into the kitchen. The window was open; she sat beside it until dawn.

The deepening light disclosed that the trailers had reached the summit of a tumultuous range. Below, another plain, pitted and scarred like the face of the moon, surged to the horizon.

The motors made a final noisy effort, the gears clashed, and the caravan, bumping off the road, came to a stop. Mrs. Malone saw Rudy swing down from the cab. He yawned and stretched, both arms above his head, his fists clenched. Then he came into the kitchen.

"Madam Noah's asleep," he

said. "Make me some coffee, for goodness sake."

He sat at the narrow table, pushed his cap back and rubbed his fingers over his bloodshot eyes.

"Lucky for us the weather's warm," he said. "I'd hate to meet a blizzard in these mountains!" Mrs. Malone got out the coffee pot and started to heat the water. As she started measuring the coffee she turned to Rudy.

"Isn't Victor coming in?" Rudy stopped rubbing his eyes and nodded. "Make enough for him. He'll be along as soon as he checks his tires."

SCARED OF BOMB

Victor, his face drawn with the fatigue of driving the sedan which was pulling the smaller trailer, came to the door. He looked oddly disheveled; his blue-black hair, usually pasted back with oil, fell in thick ropes over his forehead.

"I'm dead on my feet," Rudy said. "How about you, Victor?"

"I, too," Victor said.

The men drank the hot coffee, holding the cups between their cold hands, gulping noisily.

"That fool woman!" Rudy said with disgust. "All night she tells me to hurry! Hurry—and on that grade! If I had, we'd have landed upside down in the bottom of a canyon."

Victor held out an empty cup for a refill.

"She's sure scared of that bomb," he said.

"Who isn't?" Mrs. Malone asked.

(To be continued.)

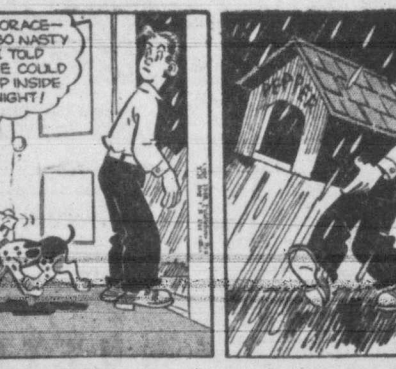
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Mrs. May Stanby, accompanied by an adopted daughter, Ann and her housekeeper, arrived Tuesday night aboard the 10,000-ton freighter Salacia from Glasgow.

In the hold of the ship was a herd of 4 British-bred goats of Swiss extraction and eight light-brown Nubian goats.

The goats were transported in a specially-built enclosure at a cost of \$6,000. A half-dozen baby goats were made comfortable during the 17-day sea voyage with blue and yellow trimmed woolen blankets.

Ann, who is 23, is staying here until the government releases the herd for the trip west by rail.

Mrs. Stanby left today for Vancouver, where her daughter, Heather, also 23 years old, is waiting for her. Heather has been in British Columbia since September.

She scouted around for the ideal farm—at a reasonable price. Her choice fell on a 25-acre farm at Nanaimo, where the family plans to start its dairy business next spring. Mrs. Stanby said her daughters were fully aware of the fact that nearly all the family's savings had been placed in the project. They were confident and anxious to get started.

Former Victorian Performing With Vancouver Symphony



DOUGLAS KENT

A former Victorian, Douglas Kent, has taken over the post of first French horn in the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra under Jacques Singer.

Mr. Kent, 30, was born in England and came to Vancouver in 1927. Two years later he moved to Victoria, where he first studied the French horn under the late Alfred Prescott in the Victoria High School orchestra.

Mr. Kent joined the Royal Canadian Navy and was a member of the navy band here during the war years. He also played with the Victoria Symphony.

In 1945 he won a Curtis Institute Scholarship and went to Philadelphia. He performed with the Philadelphia Orchestra and as a member made a tour of the southern United States. During the summer, Mr. Kent made a 28-concert tour of England and Scotland with the orchestra.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Kent of 145 Olive Street. His wife, Mrs. Fay Kent, plays in the viola section in the Victoria Symphony.

Policy Said Leading Canada To Depression

The present "cold war" policy of the Canadian government is leading the country down the road to economic depression, Maurice Rush, Labor-Progressive Party provincial organizer, told a meeting here.

Mr. Rush said "trade with the Soviet Union, new China and the democracies of eastern Europe would provide jobs for Canadians." The meeting endorsed a resolution demanding Canada institute trade relations with these countries.

Socialist democracy was described by Mr. Rush as "the most advanced stage of democracy humanity has ever reached." He noted the Soviet constitution guaranteed every citizen the right to work at decent wages, women had an equal right with men and there was no racial discrimination.

REVIVE FELLOWSHIP CANTERBURY, England (CP)—Canterbury is reviving its Dickens Fellowship in an attempt to safeguard local places made famous by Charles Dickens.

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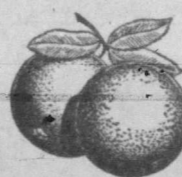
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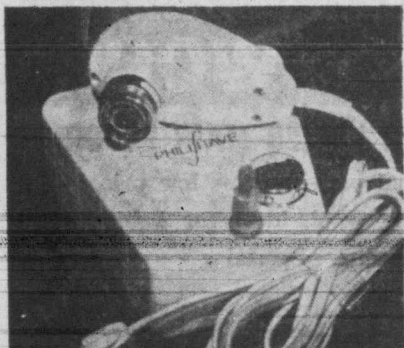
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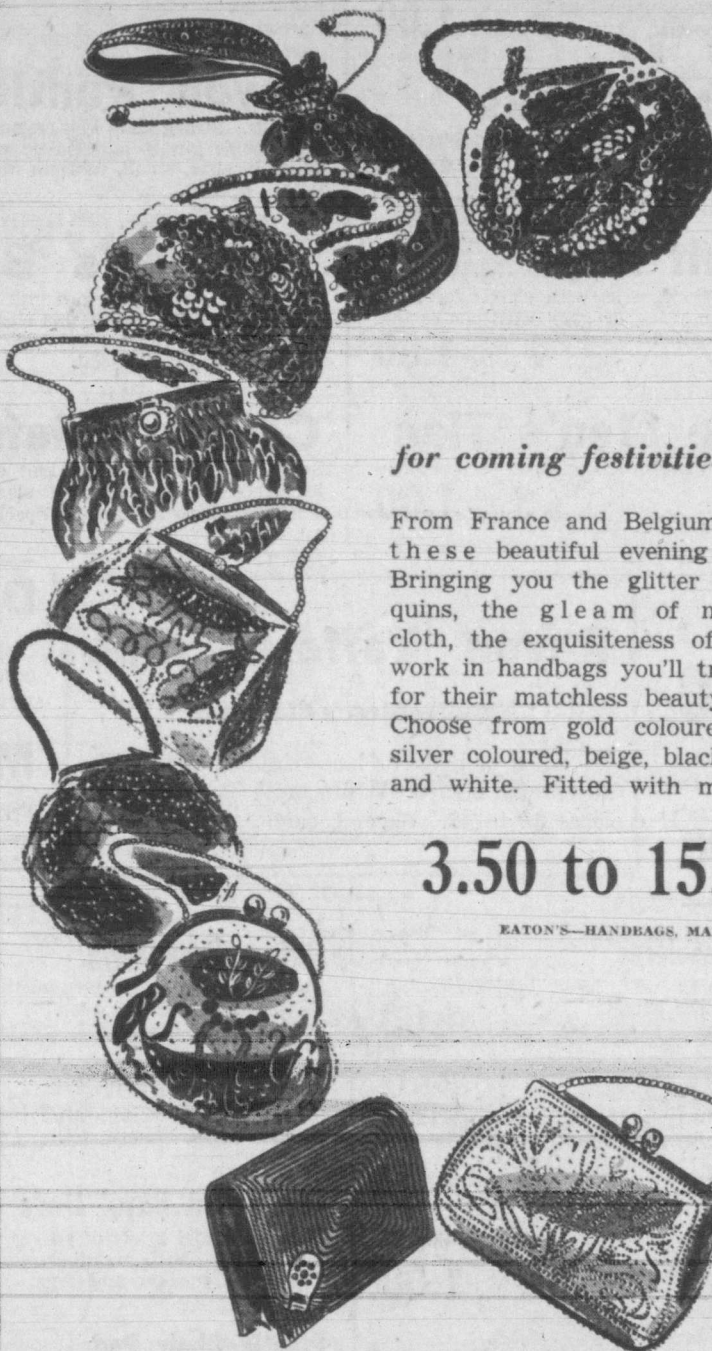


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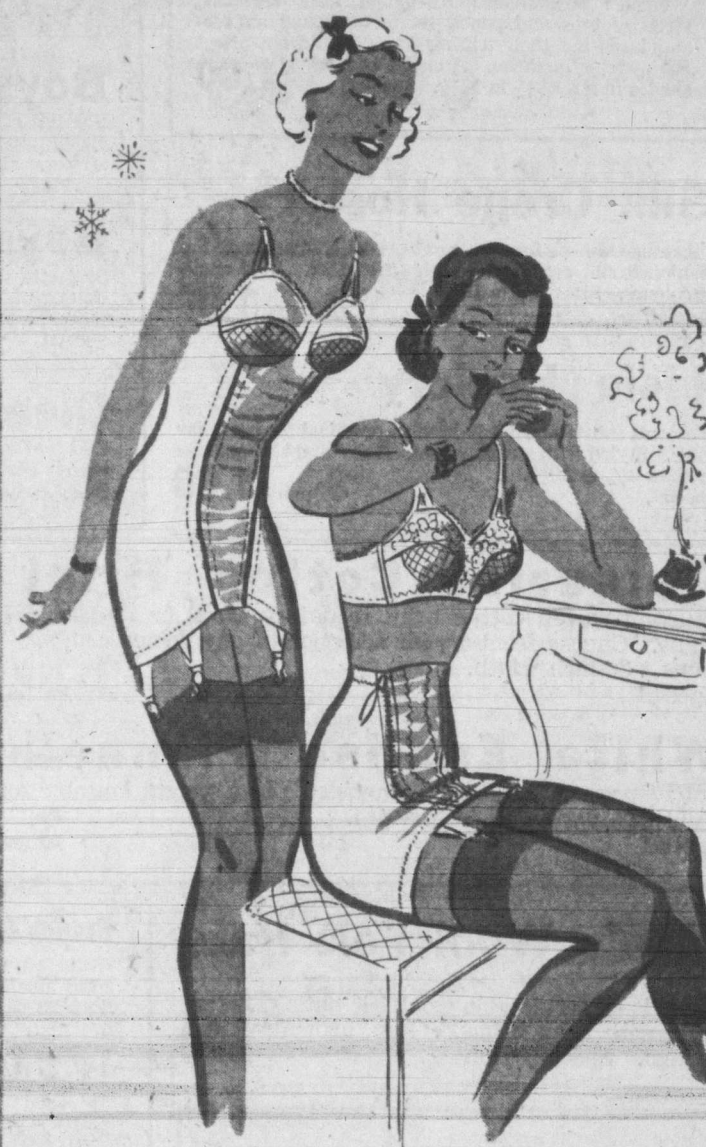
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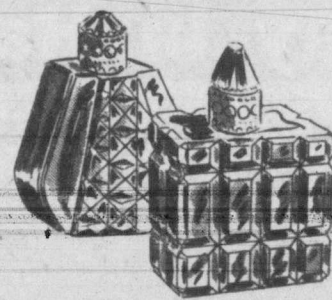
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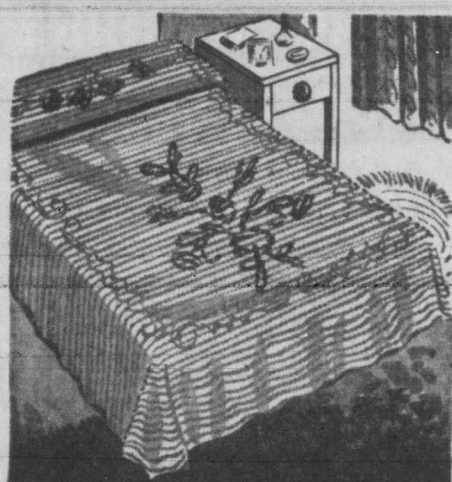
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Seconds. Strong cotton and wool mixtures in novelty striped, figured or clock designs. Have neat fitting rib tops. A choice of colour combinations in sizes 10½ to 12. **Special, 3 pairs 1.00**

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Seconds of serviceable cotton and wool half socks with elastic tops. In a choice of fancy stripes. Sizes 6 to 10. **Special, 5 pairs 1.00**

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Odd lines of rayon and cotton ties, suitable for everyday wear. Stripes and fancy patterns. **3 for 1.00**

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Soft knitted cotton pyjamas in two-piece, ski-suit style, pullover tops and fitted pants with elastic waistband. In a choice of pastel shades. Sizes 8 to 14 years. **Special, each 1.00**

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Manufacturer's Clearance

A choice of plain or lace-trimmed slips with adjustable straps. White only. Sizes 32 to 42. **Special, each 1.00**

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Colourful, good quality cotton drapery in strong chevron weave. Plain colours of wine, grey, beige, blue, light green, dark green and natural. 48 inches wide. **Special, yard 1.00**

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White rayon satin bras with laced back fastening, adjustable straps and lace trim. Sizes 32 to 38. **Special, 1.00**

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Mill runs—absorbent terry cloth towels in a choice of colourful stripes on white grounds. Approximately 22x38-inch size. **Special, 3 for 1.00**

Terry Face Cloths

White with colourful pastel stripes. Standard size. **Special, 12 for 1.00**

Sash Curtains

Fluffy dot net curtains with dainty frill trim. In plain white or with coloured trims. Approximately 36 inches long. **Special, 2 pair 1.00**

Cotton Broadcloth

Sturdily woven cotton broadcloth, suitable for costumes, curtains or children's wear. 36-inch width. **Special, 3 yards 1.00**

Men's Handkerchiefs

Strong quality white cotton handkerchiefs with hem-stitched edges. Large size. **Special, 10 for 1.00**

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Undervests and briefs of strong quality rib knit cotton. Briefs have elastic waistband—vests are athletic style. Sizes small, medium and large. **Special, 2 garments 1.00**

Plastic Chair Pads

Durable plastic chair pads filled with soft cotton. Edges are bound—two corners have chair ties. Red, blue and green in attractive lace designs. **Special, 2 for 1.00**

Tea Towels

Strong quality cotton tea towels in colourful stripes on white grounds. Approximately 28x16 inches. **5 for 1.00**

Children's Anklets

Seconds... serviceable ankle socks of cotton, wool plaited for extra warmth. Plain shades in sizes 5½ to 8. **Special, 5 pair 1.00**

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Stricken Troller Said Taken In Tow

A late report from the Cape Lazo government radio station, relayed through Gordon Head government radio station said a ship called the Cairdeas has taken the Dornabelle in tow and is proceeding to Comox.

The tug Queen, dispatched from Comox is following.

The disabled man aboard the Dornabelle, which is said to be awash, is reported to be aboard the Cairdeas.

Man Being Held In Detroit Stands By Statement On Slaying

DETROIT (CP)—Det. Sgt. Bruce McConnell of Calgary said late today he had interviewed William L. Wallace here today and the Oxbow, Sask. engineer "had nothing to say" further to the statement he gave Detroit police earlier confessing the beer-bottle slaying of Yvonne Levesque, 23, in a Calgary auto camp last Aug. 11.

McConnell said he was telephoned late today by a Calgary newspaperman asking if Wallace had repudiated his statement.

"How that report got about I do not know," he told the Canadian Press. "He had nothing to say to me and certainly did not repudiate the earlier statement given to Detroit police."

Wallace, 42, and his 32-year-old American-born wife, Wilhelma, are held here in the Detroit jail awaiting Canadian United States arrangements to return them to Calgary to face a murder charge. McConnell arrived here by air Tuesday night with two warrants charging the couple separately with the murder of Miss Levesque.

ACCUSES WIFE

Detroit Detective Morin said he took Wallace's statement of confession during an interview here earlier this week. The statement, Morin said, implicates Wallace's wife by saying Wallace struck the Calgary woman with a full bottle of beer while Mrs. Wallace held her.

The affray, the statement says, took place during a drinking party in the auto camp when Donald W. Henderson of Clive, Alta., invited the Wallaces in for a social drink to meet his fiancée.

Henderson has been sought since the slaying by Canadian police, who still hold a warrant charging him with murder.

Mrs. Wallace denies the statement and any implication in the slaying.

Russians Reported Building Sub Base In Mediterranean

LONDON (AP)—A former foreign secretary warned today Russian submarines have penetrated "to the very centre of the Mediterranean."

Viscount Templewood—who as Sir Samuel Hoare was Britain's Foreign Secretary in 1935—told the House of Lords Russia is busily making a submarine base on an Albanian island at the mouth of the Adriatic.

He did not give his source for the information.

The government announced all its submarines now are equipped with the "schnorkel" breathing tube which permits long distance underwater operations.

Weather Forecast

Variable cloudiness today and Thursday with light winds. Colder. Low tonight, 40; high Thursday, 49.

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Today's Results At Tanforan

FIRST RACE, 1 p.m.
Star Sago (Hassett) \$4.00 \$4.10 \$3.10
Baby Dodger (Pearson) 5.40
Deaf, Stray.
SECOND RACE
Wine Prince (Domestic) \$5.70 \$5.80 \$4.50
Captain Perry (Volke) 5.30 4.40
Penny Goldie (Lauvett) 2.30
Scratched: Broke, Sigm, Compensia, Studio Play, Jolema, Shy Beau.
THIRD RACE
Coke Sump (Lauvett) \$15.50 \$4.50 \$3.10
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Princess Roy H. Sincere, Mabel Q. Golden Punt.
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Today's Sports

Overnight Entries

At Tanforan

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Miss Hamble 117
Gone Again 117
My Kitty 117
Lena O 117
SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Spun Silk 112
Valerie Root 104
Lucia Angelo 107
Taira Maiter 104
Wreath Cake 112
Hir Roper 107
Nevada 118
Justashore 114
My Rainbow 112
Painted Leaves 109
FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Northland 110
Forego 117
Sun Aglow 117
Bo Bo Low 105
Pomelo Py 111
Forgave Me 111
Massi Warrior 111
Primus 114
FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Cancanier 115
a-Sing Sing 112
a-Yes Ma 107
Holly Time 106
Shackled 113
SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
La Rinda 111
Final Cal 114
Smoke Sue 106
Droctine 120
SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Cormane 113
Pildorin 108
Etern Vialie 113
Capistrano 113
Spiraling 113
EIGHTH RACE—Six furlongs:
World Wide 112
Etern Vialie 113
Candy Sue 113
Carna Victory 113
Tiers 113

At Rockingham

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Wark Haward 111
Miss Yan 108
Alaman 107
Carnegie 113
Bobby F. 107
Son Admiral 111
Lady Doll 103
Bargain Buyer 113
SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Goody Gumdrops 103
Bob Mann 112
Old Union 111
F B Eye 112
Jean Jean 108
Count Discover 106
Hibernian 111
Hoc Time 112
THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Becker Boy 112
Troy Road 112
Northville 110
Lo Healer 118
Gay Duty 111
FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Ariel Sweep 111
I Forrot 107
First Command 117
Rough Rider 114
Romanelli 89
Beau Fortune 107
FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Rile Easy 118
a-Her's Hubs 118
Jack's Banner 118
Holly Star 118
a-Her's Pay 118
SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Combs On 107
Auntie 110
Shoe Shiny 111
Pummet 111
Crystal Boots 113
SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Ace Trobby 111
Kathy's Own 103
Frankie 108
Bonnie B. 103
Too To Too 106
EIGHTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Bluelin 102
Tobacco 111
Strutaway 114
Mink War 108
Surrender 111
First race, 10:15.

Today's Results At Tanforan

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Star Sago (Hassett) \$4.00 \$4.10 \$3.10
Baby Dodger (Pearson) 5.40
Deaf, Stray.
SECOND RACE
Wine Prince (Domestic) \$5.70 \$5.80 \$4.50
Captain Perry (Volke) 5.30 4.40
Penny Goldie (Lauvett) 2.30
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Alouettes Trounce Rough Riders 22-7

DELOIRIER STADIUM. MONTREAL (CP)—Montreal Alouettes spotted Ottawa Rough Riders a touchdown and then fought back with four themselves to score a sensational 22-7 victory today in the first game of the two-game, total-point playoff of the Big Four football union. A crowd of 15,272 watched Alouettes upset the first-place finishers with a great show of strength despite the loss of Virgil Wagner, star halfback and leading scorer in the regular season. He was kept at home with a serious infection of the face.

Four Britons Wed To Russians Seek Divorce; 1 Granted

LONDON (Reuter)—A British brigadier who married a Russian ballerina, lived with her for only two days and has not seen her since, today was granted a divorce in the London courts. The brigadier, Gordon Redvers Way, was attached to the British military mission in Moscow. He was the only one of four Britons successful in their nullification requests. The other three, all of whom married Russian women while serving in Russia during the war, failed in their argument that marriage, as understood in the U.S.S.R., did not comply with the essentials of marriage under British law and did not constitute a valid marriage.

Scots Beat Welsh In World Cup Game

GLASGOW (Reuter)—Scotland, spurred by a home crowd of 70,000 at Hampden Park, today scored a workmanlike 2-0 victory over Wales in a match which was a semifinal in the qualifying tournament for the World Cup Games at Brazil next year. England meets Ireland next week and the winner plays Scotland in the British Isles final next April to determine the team to go to Brazil. J. McPhail, a new international, scored the first goal after 21 minutes. Centre-forward A. Linwood scored 15 minutes from time.

\$13,000,000 Paid In Radio Fees

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadian radio owners shelled out more than \$13,000,000 in radio license fees during the last three years, Transport Minister Chevrier disclosed today in a reply tabled in the Commons.

Talks Continuing

OSHAWA, Ont. (CP)—Top level company-union talks aimed at settling the 15-day-old strike at the General Motors of Canada Ltd. plant here continued today. Trend of the talks was not revealed.

Dividends Total \$5

NEW YORK (AP)—International Paper Company today declared a year-end dividend of \$1 and a regular quarterly of \$1 on common, both payable Dec. 15 to holders of record Nov. 21. This brings total payments for the year to \$5, the same as in 1948.

New School Course

TORONTO (CP)—The Toronto board of education's management committee decided Tuesday to ask the Ontario department of education to start a program of alcohol education in the schools. Trustee Harold Male said there was such an increase in liquor sales that he felt a well-planned course in alcohol education was needed.



Fiery Crash

A trailer-truck burns furiously after colliding with another truck on Route 9, near Clermont, N.Y., halting traffic on the busy New York-Albany highway. Both drivers were injured, and a third vehicle narrowly escaped being involved in the accident. (NEA Telephoto)

Commons Budget Debate Comes To Sudden End

OTTAWA (CP)—The Commons suddenly concluded the budget debate this afternoon without a recorded vote being taken on a Progressive Conservative amendment moved early in the discussion. Fewer than 100 members were in the House when the end came unexpectedly. Several Liberal speakers had been expected to keep the debate rolling at least until the adjournment hour, but they made no effort to take their turn.

The Progressive Conservative amendment was to a motion for the House to go into committee of ways and means to discuss the resolutions providing for the tax changes in the 1949-50 budget, reintroduced in the Commons Oct. 20.

The amendment asked that: "The House regrets that the government has failed to take effective measures to prevent the present decline in our trade with the sterling area and is of the opinion that the government should consider the advisability of inviting the nations of the Commonwealth to a conference in the immediate future for the purpose of working out arrangements to preserve and enlarge those traditional markets on which jobs and opportunities for Canadians very largely depend."

George Drew, Progressive Conservative leader, said early in the debate he did not believe the amendment could be regarded by members as one calling for a vote of non-confidence in the government. Rather it was one that simply expressed regret that the government had not done certain things.

Mr. Drew was not in the chamber when the debate ended, but he came rushing to his seat shortly after deputy speaker Alfred Dion had declared the amendment lost on a voice vote. Progressive Conservative members in the chamber did not ask for a formally-recorded vote.

The main motion was declared adopted on a voice vote and members began the study of the taxation legislation required to make the changes provided in the budget.

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Clues Followed In Effort To Solve Mystery Slaying

VANCOUVER (CP)—Police here this afternoon were seeking clues that might point to the cause of death of a 45-year-old woman, Miss Fern B. Fisher, a store clerk who was last seen alive Tuesday night, at which time she left home to attend a theatre. The body was found this morning in False Creek.

The discovery added another mystery to the unsolved one of Sept. 17 last, when the nude body of Joyce Monasterski, a 25-year-old Saskatchewan cashier, was found on a beach Oct. 8. Her death is listed by police as a murder.

Partially-clad, the body of Miss Fisher was found floating in False Creek by a bridge tender. A wound in the forehead was still bleeding.

When the body was discovered the only clothing was a coat and dress. Her shoes, stockings and underwear had been removed.

The body hair had been shaved from the woman, but the hair on her head had not been touched.

NO MONEY FOUND

Robbery could be a motive in the death of Miss Fisher. Police said there was no money in the woman's purse, a shoulder-strap type. There was an identification card, bearing the name of her sister, Miss Violet Fisher, with whom she lived.

The body was found near a railway trestle, but search of it failed to reveal any trace of the missing clothing.

An autopsy has been ordered to determine cause of death. The forehead wound could have been caused by a trestle piling.

Testifies Plane In Which 55 Died Tested For Faults

WASHINGTON (AP)—A Bolivian official testified today that the fighter plane which collided with an airliner here in aviation's worst disaster was being tested for faults that had caused his government to reject it three times.

The witness, Maj. German Pol of the Bolivian Air Force, contended that the P-38 was not Bolivia's but was still the property of Universal Marine and Supply Company at the time of the crash in which 55 persons died Nov. 1.

Bolivian acceptance, Pol told the Civil Aeronautics Board, hinged on the outcome of the test flight by Erick Rios Brifoux, only survivor of the collision.

Pol said the P-38 had been turned down three times for faulty brakes, faulty radio and trouble with one of its two motors.

Investigators expected the high light of the inquiry to be the story of the injured Bolivian pilot. Brifoux, Bolivian director general of aviation, apparently did not hear radio instructions from the airport control tower.

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Marooned At Post, Lightkeeper Lay Dying For Week

PORT ARTHUR (CP)—Harry O'Connor, whose body was found by police in Marathon Lighthouse Sunday, was alone and marooned at his post more than seven days while he lay dying, James Graham, Department of Transport official said today.

The body of the Department of Transport employee was found in a bunk in the Lake Superior lighthouse near Marathon, Ont., 75 miles east of here. Rough seas have prevented removal of the body but Mr. Graham and a group of men reached the lighthouse in small outboard motorboats.

First indication of O'Connor's illness came through the chance finding of a floating bottle near Marathon Monday. A note inside the bottle said:

"Come and get me first chance... sick—almost died." It was dated Oct. 31.

Engel Sentenced

CHICAGO (UP)—Sigmund (Sam) Engel, 74-year-old love swindler, was sentenced today to not less than two and not more than 10 years in prison for defrauding a red-haired Chicago widow out of \$8,700.

Today's Final Prices On Vancouver Market

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	21/2	21/4	21/2
OLGA	21/2	21/4	21/2
Anacosta	21/2	21/4	21/2
Anglo-Canadian	21/2	21/4	21/2
A.P. Co.	21/2	21/4	21/2
Atlantic	21/2	21/4	21/2
British Dominion	21/2	21/4	21/2
C. and E. Corp.	21/2	21/4	21/2
Calumet	21/2	21/4	21/2
Central Lode	21/2	21/4	21/2
Central Deduc	21/2	21/4	21/2
Controll	21/2	21/4	21/2
Commonwealth	21/2	21/4	21/2
Dalhousie	21/2	21/4	21/2
Goldcorp	21/2	21/4	21/2
Globe Oil	21/2	21/4	21/2
Hargis	21/2	21/4	21/2
Highwood Saree	21/2	21/4	21/2
Home Oil	21/2	21/4	21/2
Leduc West	21/2	21/4	21/2
McDougal Segur	21/2	21/4	21/2
Mercury	21/2	21/4	21/